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School security concerns

BY THOMAS TRACY

The tight-lipped Department of Education won't say how it was guarding an under-construction Bergen Beach middle school the night a 15-year-old boy plummeted to his death from atop the building's roof — and residents say that there is little security at the scaffolding-covered school after work crews go home, making it a prime target for another tragedy.

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Bottoms up!

Eby Harvey has her hands full with beer from the Coney Island Brewing Company — the self-described “world’s smallest brewery” that can be found on W. 12th Street. For more, see 24/Seven.

Photo by Steve Solomonson

WATER PARK NIXED

Planned addition deflated

BY DANIEL BUSH

Coney Island's blow-up park is officially deflated.

The city has nixed plans for Water Slide Beach, a much-touted inflatable waterpark on the beach featuring water rides, bungee jumping and a lounging area, after the state demanded a special permit that would ensure the land beneath it didn't head out to sea.

It had been scheduled to open last summer, in time for the July 4 weekend, but was stalled after the state Department of Environmental Conservation said the city didn't obtain a variance to build structures on the beach, which is susceptible to erosion caused by

waves and heavy storms.

State spokesman Tom Panzone said the city was asked to find a new location for the park, “but decided not to come up with an alternate site,” killing the project.

Parks Department spokesman Philip Abramson shot back that because of the beachfront's status as a state Coastal Erosion Hazard Area, “getting a waiver [was] not feasible.”

“Therefore, Parks and the concessionaire have mutually agreed to end the contract at the end of the current beach season,” Abramson said. “We will not be moving forward with another adventure”

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BIG TOP FOLDS UP



Vidbel Circus – which replaced Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus this summer – has packed up six weeks early, after entertaining as few as 15 customers on some nights at this Stillwell Avenue lot.

Photo by Stefano Giovannini

Mom-and-pop stand-in for Ringling Bros. closes six weeks early

BY AARON SHORT

A mom-and-pop circus that filled the void when Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey pulled out of Coney Island this summer has folded up its tent six weeks early.

Vidbel Circus abruptly packed up its horses and acrobats and rode out of town a mere 20 days after its Independence Day weekend opening because the less-than-greatest-show-on Earth was not making enough money.

Some shows drew as few as 15 customers a night, despite tickets that cost just \$10. Some performances were flat-out canceled when no one showed up at all, an official with the Florida-based one-ring extravaganza told us.

The company had signed a lease with Central Amusement International to operate on a Stillwell Avenue lot through Labor Day — replacing the elephant-size void left when Ringling Brothers abandoned its 2,400-seat tent after just two summers.

“Our thoughts were that our ‘walk-up’ would be enough to make a profit considering our location — unfortunately, this was not the case,” said Vidbel President Susan Vidbel-Ashton.

“We stayed as long as we could.”

But Coney Island stalwarts believe that the circus’s failure was its poor promotion.

“They were nice people, but they did a horrible job setting up their entrance, they did not have painted banners advertising the circus, and they didn’t have the slightest idea how to ballyhoo,” said Sideshow operator Dick Zigun, who is a master of self- and show promotion. “Take the horses and clowns and put on mini-circus parade 15 minutes before a showtime — that’s how you sell tickets!”

Promotion failures appear to have extended beyond the show’s closing. The company’s website remains online — disappointing some fans who sought out the show last week with their family.

“I was disappointed, especially since I brought my kid there, and she was very excited about going to the circus,” said Yuliya Chernova. “On the way there, she told me that it was a nice surprise for her because we don’t go to the circus often.”

The lot will be empty for the rest of the summer, but Zigun hopes a new circus, perhaps Ringling Bros., will return.

“All circuses are not equal,” said Zigun.

“I wish Ringling Brothers, a greater show on earth, would come back — they know how to advertise. Frankly this was an amateur circus.”



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Bye-bye bialys!

Once-popular Brooklyn-baked buns now on backburner

BY AARON SHORT

Beloved for years from Canarsie to Greenpoint, the bialy — a once-ubiquitous Brooklyn-made breakfast treat that's not quite bagel and not quite roll — is going the way of the dodo.

That's because Sheephead Bay's Coney Island Bialys and Bagels — one of just two bakeries left in the borough that make the un-hole concoction — will bake its last batch next month after serving hungry Southern Brooklynites for 57 years.

Master baker Steven Ross, 51, said he's closing his business on Coney Island Avenue near Avenue U because the demand for his wares — which also include the now-ubiquitous bagel — has steadily dwindled over the past decade, a time when the bialy took a back seat to its smaller, chubbier little brother.

"I'm hoping to stay open through the Jewish holidays next month, but I don't think it's going to happen," said Ross, who had to lay off one of three employees this week. "We don't bake any more during the day be-



BAGEL VS. BIALY: Starting next month, Coney Island Bialys and Bagels will stop baking its trademark treats (that's baker Johnathan Artis with a bagel on the left, a bialy on the right).

Photo by Elizabeth Graham

cause there's no business."

Not surprisingly, longtime customers, who loved the Ross's trademark bialy sticks, onion jacks and pretzels, are distraught.

"My husband and I love them — they make the best bialys," said Coney Island resident Ida Sanoff. "Nobody

else's bialys are half as good as theirs. I just don't know what we're going to do."

The store is one of only two bialy-makers left in Brooklyn — Dell Bialys in Canarsie makes a limited number on Foster Avenue.

The snack was much more popular 91 years ago

— when Ross' grandfather and his great uncles immigrated to Brooklyn and opened their first bialy store in East New York.

Back then, the Brooklyn had scores of bialy bakeries churning out the chewy flatbread with the onions in the middle.

In 1954, the bakery moved to its current location near and added a deli counter because locals demanded a nearby place to buy the treats they smelled cooking all day long.

During the shop's heyday in the 1970s and 1980s when the store was open 24 hours a day, Ross's cooks baked on average 2,700 to 6,000 bialys and 1,440 bagels each day. Today, the numbers are staggeringly off their peak: between 540 to 720 bialys and 240 bagels a day.

He blames the neighborhood's changing tastes and migration of his primarily Jewish customer base to New Jersey for his decline in profits.

"They're looking for red bull, extra beer and cigarettes. They're not looking for bialys," said Ross.

How about a great pork chop!

BY GERSH KUNTZMAN

Before the Elsen sisters started baking salted caramel apple pies at Four and Twenty Blackbirds, before Halyards started curating whiskeys, before Crop to Cup began brewing guilt-free Uganda Bugisu, before the word "Gowanus" started meaning "trendy," there was a restaurant called Two Toms.

The restaurant is still there, the pork chops still transcendent.

Yet the trend-seekers go elsewhere.

Even in an age when food fetishists strive to rediscover the roots of Brooklyn dining, history can be a curse for a place that's hiding in plain sight.

"We're so well known that no one thinks they can get in here, like we're always jam-packed," said owner Anthony Catapano, the nephew of the restaurant's co-founder.

Yes, there really are two Toms behind Two Toms, though only one name has not been lost to history.

Tom Giordano opened the old-school joint with another Tom on Third Avenue in what was then called South Brooklyn in 1948. The concept of the restaurant, inasmuch as restaurants had "concepts" back then, was to feed the neighborhood's laborers. There was a Daily News plant up the block (it's a Yuppie climbing gym now) and the South Brooklyn Casket Company employed hundreds around the corner (it's still in operation, but the plant's assembly line has slowed).

After Giordano died, his wife Nancy ran it until 1970, when her brother, Jimmy Catapano, took over.

He still comes in every day, and his son, Anthony, runs the joint, seating customers, taking orders and making sure the regulars still feel like the place is



Owner Anthony Catapano shows off the double-thick grilled pork chop, the signature dish at the old-school Italian restaurant, Two Toms.

Photo by Tom Callan

their clubhouse. Anthony's brother, Jimmy, is the cook.

There's no printed menu. You can ask

Anthony for pretty much anything, but when you ask him what's good on the menu, all he says is, "The pork chop."

Catapano could be forgiven if he's using the word "the" as a superlative rather than a mere definite article. The pork chop at Two Toms is indeed "the" pork chop, a massive, double-thick porcine T-bone that is charred to a crisp on the outside, yet juicy and sublime on the inside.

Beyond "the" pork chop, little else comes out of the kitchen that would bring in the foodie crowd: the antipasto is strictly sliced meats, cheese and roasted red peppers; the baked clams are satisfying, but not transcendent; the spaghetti carbonara comes in a huge plastic bowl like grandma used to serve.

But then the chop comes out, and all is forgiven.

Tom Toms [255 Third Ave. between Union and President streets in Gowanus, (718) 875-8689]. Closed Sundays and Mondays.



The bagel is Brooklyn's ubiquitous breakfast bread, but connoisseurs appreciate the subtle yeastiness of a bialy, the un-bagel. Here's our first ever bagel-bialy smackdown.

BAGEL	PRODUCT	BIALY
Crusty on the outside, doughy inside.	Characteristics	Bready, yeasty and oniony.
Many steps: roll out the dough, refrigerate, boil and bake.	Manufacturing process	Roll out the dough, make a little dent in the middle, add onions, bake.
Mistakenly attributed to a tribute to a Polish cavalry officer.	Historic origin	Comes from Bialystok, a city in Poland.
The contrast between the shiny crust and the doughy inside.	What makes it great	No hole means that your cream cheese stays put.
Every Jewish comedian since the Marx Brothers.	Historic champion	Times food writer Mimi Sheraton.
Frozen bagel king Harry Lender.	Historic villain	Whoever is responsible for those lousy coffee truck bialys.
Enshrined forever in that Temptee cream cheese ad when the customer says, "A bagel? What's a bagel?!"	Place in popular culture	Forever linked to Max Bialystok, the shy-ster Broadway impresario of Mel Brooks's "The Producers."
The Atkins Diet.	Cause for decline	The bagel.

LIGHTS OUT!

Residents say city has failed to fix faulty lamppost for more than seven months

BY THOMAS TRACY

Brighton Beach residents are sick and tired of being left in the dark — literally — thanks to a streetlight saga they say has been going on for more than seven months.

Residents charge that since January, the city has failed to fix a faulty lamppost at the corner of Brighton Third Street and Brighton Second Lane, leaving them without any illumination—or sense of security.

“This is a quiet, desolate area so something like a street light is a critical thing,” said Judd Fischler, a former 60th Precinct Community Council president who lives near the corner. “We’ve had some burglaries down here, so we need something to light up the area.”

Fischler said the light started flickering last year before it completely died this past January. He made repeated calls to 311 and city officials earlier this summer about the light, and in early July, a private construction pulled out the dead street light and replaced it with a new one.

The problem wasn’t solved yet, though; the streetlight remained inoperable because Con Edison had yet to hook the light up to the city’s electrical grid.

That’s when this paper got involved: Upon hearing about Fischler’s plight, we called Con Edison on Aug. 8, and the next day, the utility company began the process of hooking up the new street light to the electric grid.

End of story? Not even

close: Con Edison completed its work by Aug. 16, but the light was still off. When asked why, a Con Edison spokeswoman said that the responsibility now lied in the Department of Transportation’s hands.

“The light pole is alive and the base of the pole is electrified, but now it’s up to the city to complete the job,” said spokeswoman Joy Farber.

A spokesman for the Department of Transportation said the agency was looking into the problem, though as of press time, Fischler and his neighbors were still in the dark.

“This whole thing is stupid,” said Fischler. “It’s like that old joke about how many people does it take to screw in a light bulb.”



THE DARK AGES: Brighton Beach civic leader Judd Fischler stands in front of a new light pole that Con Edison has yet to hook up to its electrical grid, leaving residents at the corner of Brighton Third Street and Brighton Second Lane in the dark. Photo by Steve Solomonson

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BY MOSES JEFFERSON

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Business's big-box problem!

Restaurateur says his place is being killed by MTA's storage containers

BY RICKY CASIANO

Talk about a big-box lawsuit!

A Bensonhurst restaurateur owner is threatening to sue the city for letting the MTA place giant storage containers on the street near his business — an eyesore that he says is blocking his store from view, taking up important parking spaces, attracting hooligans and trash, and costing him thousands of dollars in revenue.

Avdi Nikovic, owner of the Bay Ridge Café on Bay Ridge Avenue between New Utrecht and 16th avenues, said he is talking to lawyers and considering a suit against the city for letting the MTA put two containers in front of his restaurant while it did track work on the elevated train over New Utrecht.

"I understand they have to finish the repairs and make it better, but why I



According to its owner, few have show up at the Bay Ridge Cafe since the MTA dumped two big boxes on the street nearby.

have to pay and lose my business?" Nikovic added that what's left of his customers get a view of the graffiti-covered containers from the café's windows.

Nikovic said that the containers are also a magnet for ne'er-do-wells who hang out, drink, urinate in front of his store, and that the boxes take up

four parking spaces.

The MTA says it can't move the storage containers, which will remain there until the spring of 2012 when the work on tracks from Ninth Avenue to Bay 50th Street is completed.

"They are used to store materials necessary for the construction project," said

Kevin Ortiz, of the MTA. "To relocate the utilities is cost-prohibitive."

But Nikovic says the containers are cost-prohibitive to him as well.

He claims business is down so much since the containers went in two years ago that he owes seven months in rent and about \$36,000 in past due bills, including utilities and gas.

Since the containers arrived, Nikovic's said he has called 311 and complained to Community Board 10 to no avail — so the lawsuit is the next logical step.

After NY1 reported his problems in a cablecast and online, the agency finally moved the containers, but just one parking space down the block — and closer to a corner grocery store.

Now, a worker at that store said the boxes are hurting that store's bottom line.



Avdi Nikovic says the big boxes in front of his restaurant are killing his business. Photos by Ricky Casiano

"Business has been down," the person said. "[The containers] just make people's lives miserable."

And the stores are not the only ones complaining — residents say they are fed up with having to clean up garbage around the con-

tainers, and now have to deal with large rats.

"There was a rat the size of a cat under my car," said John Burgio. "I lived here for 45 years and never seen that before."

The MTA declined to comment on the alleged rat and litter problem.

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Queens Boro President Joins Green Team At Home Energy Survey

NEW YORK — With the summer season quickly heating up, Queens Borough President Helen Marshall joined Con Edison's Green Team today at a Queens Village home to conduct an energy survey that will help the homeowner reduce costs and improve energy efficiency. Over 1,500 New Yorkers have signed up for the low-cost survey.

The Green Team, which includes experts from Honeywell, performs onsite visits and visual assessments of homes, evaluating the lighting, heating and cooling equipment, and appliances, for potential areas of improvement. The program is open to residential customers who live in one-to-four family homes in New York City and Westchester County.

Ramesh Ganeshan of Queens Village, N.Y., is among the latest homeowners to benefit from the program, which Con Edison offers to its customers for only \$50. Similar surveys can cost up to \$300.

The company sent a Green Team member to Ganeshan's home to perform an assessment, where the specialist identified opportunities for efficiency improvements. The specialist also installed compact fluorescent light bulbs (CFLs) and a smart power strip — all part of the \$50 investment. In addition, the team identified opportunities for other energy-efficiency upgrades, along with potential rebates from Con Edison that could total up to \$1,000.

"I take great pride in my home and keeping it up to date, but I didn't realize how many efficiency opportunities there were until I saw the Green Team's suggestions," Ganeshan said. "This experience revealed not just the simple energy-saving measures, like installing CFL bulbs, but it also opened my eyes to the other utility programs I could and should take advantage of."

Queens Borough President Helen Marshall said, "I urge ev-



eryone contact the Green Team to find out which program is right for them. This energy-saving program can reduce homeowner bills, provide greater energy-efficiency and help our city to become greener. Thanks to Con Edison and Honeywell, an energy audit can result in

expert advice on how to reduce energy costs."

"Energy efficiency is a straightforward concept, but knowing what initiatives are right for a specific family or home can sometimes be a challenge," said Cristina Coltro, Con Edison program manager. "As we head into

the summer season, when homeowners typically use the most electricity, the Home Energy Survey is a simple and effective way to uncover energy-saving opportunities."

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The employee was arguing with the manager inside the eatery, which is between Avenues V and W, at 1:10 pm. When the 37-year-old manager wouldn't relinquish the check, the employee pulled his gun and demanded it.

The thug ultimately fled without the check, harming no one.

iPod rob

A man tried to steal an iPod from another man on Bayview Avenue on Aug. 12, but didn't get far.

The victim was nearing Neptune Avenue at 9:30 pm when the suspect stuck a hard object in the victim's back and demanded his property.

The suspect ran off with the iPod, but he didn't get far: cops caught up with him a short time later, charging him with robbery in the first degree.

Bad chain grab

A 35-year-old man manhandled a woman inside a W. 28th Street building in an attempt to steal her chain on Aug. 15, but was arrested a short time later.

The thief jumped his victim between



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Mermaid and Surf avenues at 9:37 pm, ripping the young woman's shirt and chain during the robbery.

Kohl's crook

An employee for a Bay Parkway Kohl's was caught swiping more than \$1,000 worth of merchandise from store shelves on Aug. 9.

The Caesar's Bay department store employee had taken several articles of clothing and perfumes at 10 pm before leaving for the night — and was arrested the next day.

Five on one

A cruel quintet jumped a 17-year-old on McDonald Avenue in Gravesend on Aug. 11, taking \$100.

The victim was nearing Gravesend Neck Road at 11:15 pm when the thugs approached, demanding his property.

"You, run your pockets," one of the

thieves demanded as he produced a folding knife.

The fiends then attacked the 17-year-old, leaving him with a smattering of bruises.

Robbed on Burnett

A thug pulled a gun on a 33 year old during an Aug. 12 mugging on Burnett Street.

The victim was between Avenue V and Whitney Avenue at 1:15 am, making his way home from work, when the suspect came out from behind a parked vehicle and demanded he empty his pockets.

The victim gave his house keys and \$2 to the thief, who told him to "turn around and walk away."

Bike swipe

Two teens attacked a 12-year-old boy inside an Avenue Y playground on Aug. 12, making off with his bicycle.

The victim was playing a game of hoops inside the park, which is near E. 18th Street, when the would-be thieves started arguing with him.

That's when one of the thieves reportedly punched the victim in the face, giving the other an opportunity to take the \$130 two-wheeler.

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A thief broke into a delivery truck parked on Nostrand Avenue on Aug. 8, taking a 32-inch television.

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A thief broke into an E. 21st Street home on Aug. 13 — while his victim was inside, asleep in his bedroom.

The owner of the home, which is between Voorhies Avenue and Shore Parkway, said that the thief crept in at about 5:37 am after forcing open the front window.

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Witnesses spotted a suspect running down E. 21st Street.

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Bath Beach cop killer to be set free

A man who was sentenced to life in prison for murdering his wife — an NYPD cop — in 1996 could be a free man in a matter of weeks, an appeals judge ruled last week.

The federal appeals court ruled on Aug. 9 that the jury which convicted John Rivera did not have enough evidence to find him guilty of depraved indifference murder in the death of Kimberly Rivera, a 28-year-old scooter cop at the 68th Precinct in Bay Ridge, and tossed out the conviction.

Investigators charged that Rivera shot his estranged wife in January, 1996, during an argument in front of Rivera's Bath Beach home. Their child, a toddler, was sitting just paces away in a nearby car.

Yet Rivera told another story: he claimed that his unhinged wife shot herself in the head during the argument, claiming that she "couldn't take it anymore."

Brooklyn District Attorney Charles Hynes never believed Rivera's description of events, especially since Kimberly Rivera's head wound — which was two inches above and behind the right ear — was "inconsistent with suicide."

"We say [Rivera] put the gun in the victim's hand," Assistant District Attorney Kenneth Taub said after Rivera's arrest. "The evidence will show he shot and killed his wife and tried to make it look like suicide."

At trial, Peter Antioco, Rivera's lawyer, said that Kimberly Rivera was suicidal and had emotional problems that were tied to "an abortion, a miscarriage and a lesbian relationship."



Rivera was convicted of depraved indifference murder and sentenced to life in prison in 1997. When the verdict was read, he swore that he would be "back down on appeal" and spat at the 70 cops watching in the gallery, the New York Daily News noted at the time.

He got his wish: after many exhaustive attempts to have his conviction overturned, the federal court of appeals agreed that the jury which convicted Rivera should never have been given the option to find him guilty of depraved indifference murder.

The federal court of appeals ordered Rivera set free from prison — which could happen in a matter of weeks.

A Hynes spokesman said that the DA's office was "reviewing its options."

Mobster pleads guilty

A notorious Brooklyn gangster who federal prosecutors say flouted his bail conditions by showing up to work at the famed Lucali Pizzeria in Carroll Gardens — but did everything but work — hammered out a sweetheart deal with prosecutors on Aug. 10 that will spare him from attempted murder charges.

Reputed Colombo crime family associate Dominick "Black Dom" Dionisio was awaiting trial on a host of crimes when the 41 year old's attorney worked out a deal in which he would spend a little more than seven years in prison.

The deal called for Dionisio to confess to a strong arm robbery of a Magen David Yeshiva worker on McDonald Avenue in 1991, where he robbed the school employee of \$50,000. He also pled guilty to racketeering charges and several other gunpoint robberies in Brooklyn, as well as Baltimore, MD, where he reportedly held up drug dealers.

But the deal ensures that Dionisio won't have to be tried on how he attempted to assassinate two fellow mobsters from a rival Colombo gang in the early 1990s during what was known as the "internecine war."

Federal prosecutors alleged that Dionisio and an accomplice opened fire on his fellow mobsters on a crowded Manhattan street in broad daylight, injuring one of them. Several innocent pedestrians were also hit.

Dionisio worked at Lucali's Pizzeria, which is on Henry Street near First Place, while he was out on bail, although federal prosecutors said in 2009 that he never cooked a single pie.

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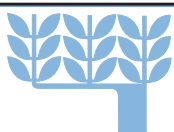
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Cut and run!

Thieves strike at Councilman Nelson's grandkids' bris, taking centerpieces

BY THOMAS TRACY

It's the unkindest cut.

Two thieves found their way into a bris held for Councilman Mike Nelson's twin grandchildren on Aug. 12 and stole a handful of teddy bears used as table centerpieces at the joyous occasion.

The not-so-cuddly crooks, a man and a woman, managed to get away with at least three bears before Nelson (D-Midwood) and his family intervened.

The councilman was stunned that someone was brazen enough to ruin such an important day for his family.

"I've never heard of anything like this happening before," he said. "It was a very special day because we were announcing the first grandchildren born in my family. I guess we should have had some security assigned as a lookout."

Several dozen people were invited to a catering hall at Avenue T and E. Eighth Street to attend the bris, or circumcision, for newborns Kody and Sammy.

But Nelson and his family invited one of the thieves to the affair: a woman posing as a beggar, stopped in during the festivities, asking if she could have something to eat.

"She came by and asked for some food so we let her have a few plates," Nelson said. "That's what you do at Jewish functions."

The woman was eating alone when her accomplice



Councilman Mike Nelson (D-Sheepshead Bay), seen in this file photo, was the victim of theft when teddy bears were stolen from his twin grandchildren's bris.

File photo by Arthur De Gaeta

came in, pretending to be a catering hall employee.

A few moments later, Nelson's son-in-law saw the male suspect popping the balloons tied to the teddy bears.

"I guess he thought that carrying the balloons out of the catering hall would have given him away," Nelson surmised.

But the noise sprung partygoers to life.

"My son-in-law asked him what he was doing and the guy pushed him and ran off with the teddy bears," Nelson said. "The guy must have been a track star, because by the time we ran down two flights of stairs, he was gone."

The female suspect also ran out of the building and fled in a different direction.

Nelson and several guests jumped into their cars and drove around looking for the two thieves, but couldn't find them.

Yet things could have been much worse. Nelson said that one of the thieves entered a secluded room where his grandchildren were sleeping — and where all the bris gifts and cash-filled cards were kept — but an adult watching the babies warned him off.

Police said that they have video footage of the thieving couple and were continuing their search. But if they are ever found and arrested, they will probably just get a slap on the wrist: they're facing petit larceny charges since they took less than \$50 of merchandise.

But this isn't the first time Nelson has been targeted this summer. A few weeks earlier thieves rooted through his car while it was parked in Manhattan Beach — yet Nelson admits that he was the one to blame.

"I kept going back to get things out of my car and one of those times I forgot to lock it," he said.

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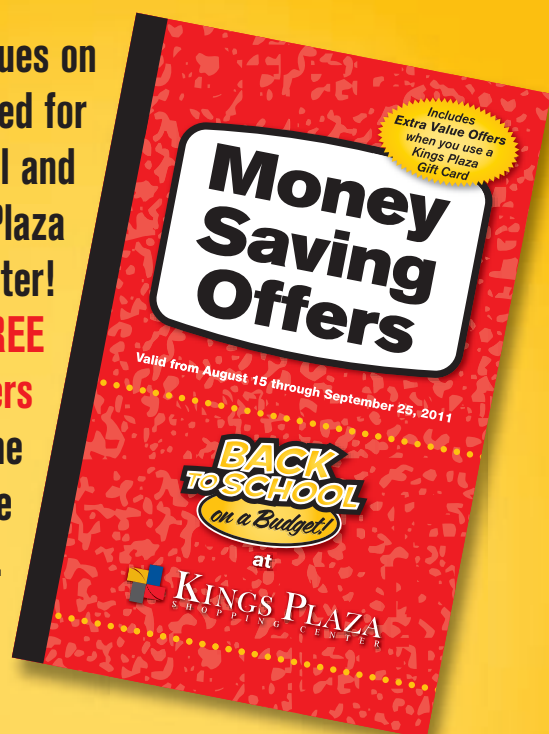
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Poll: Borough favors Turner over Weprin

BY THOMAS TRACY

Brooklyn loves Bob!

If Brooklynites alone determined the victor in the fight to replace disgraced Rep. Anthony Weiner, GOP candidate Bob Turner would be the candidate we would choose, according to a new Siena College Research Institute Poll.

Forty-nine percent of Brooklynites questioned told pollsters that they would vote for Turner if the election was held tomorrow — a slight increase over the 43 percent who would vote for Assemblyman David Weprin, the democratic nominee. Eight percent of Brooklyn voters said that weren't sure who they would vote for.

But Brooklyn makes up only one third of Weiner's district, which is shared by Queens. Queens voters ultimately put Weprin over the top, with 50 percent of them voting for the Democratic candidate. Forty percent voted for Turner.

The poll shows that Turner trails Weprin by a slim six percent, a figure that emboldened the Republican candidate on Aug. 10 as he held a \$100 a person fundraiser at the El Caribe in Mill Island.

"The poll showed us that we can win and identified the issues that we need to do a little more work," he said. "The road map is there. We still have a lot of hard work to do, but we can do it and win."

Turner certainly has an uphill battle: Democrats in Weiner's district, which includes portions of Midwood, Sheepshead Bay and Marine Park, outnumber Republicans four to one. But the district is teeming with conservative democrats who have been known to elect Republicans. In 2010, Turner received 42-percent of the vote when he went toe-to-toe against Weiner —



Rep. Michael Grimm (R-Bay Ridge) recently endorsed congressional hopeful Bob Turner. A new poll reveals that 49 percent of Brooklynites would do the same over Assemblyman Dave Weprin (below) in the race to replace Rep. Anthony Weiner's seat.

Photos by Thomas Tracy

before the recently married pol was caught "sexting" and sending lurid e-mails to a half-dozen women across the country.

Weprin and Turner will face off during a special election on Sept. 13.

Neither candidate is from Brooklyn, but Weprin has more of a Brooklyn pedigree than his Republican opponent: Weprin's parents were raised in the borough and he routinely takes his kids to Coney Island. Turner has made no such claims.

Calls to Weprin's camp for comment on how Brooklyn voted in the Sienna poll were not returned by late Tuesday.

The results of the Sienna Poll comes amid a week of endorsements for both candidates.

Last Wednesday, Rep. Michael Grimm (R-Bay Ridge)



endorsed Turner for Congress. Former Mayor Giuliani followed suit, endorsing him on Monday. Weprin also received a host of endorsements, most notably from Sen. Chuck Schumer, a Park Slope resident. Gov. Cuomo and Borough President Markowitz have also endorsed Weprin.

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Report: Alleged child killer a schizo

Doctors say Levi Aron's family has a history of mental health disorders

BY DAN MACLEOD

Doctors say alleged child kidnapper and killer Levi Aron is a schizo whose family has a history of mental disorders, according to a psychological analysis obtained by the Associated Press.

Aron's lawyer, Pierre Bazile, told the New York Post last week that the report showed Aron, 35, of Kensington, had schizoid tendencies.

"We are now evaluating whether his psychological condition meets the threshold for a mental disease or defect defense," Bazile told The Post.

Aron's legal team has said they are considering an insanity defense, but are waiting for a thorough analysis.

"The evaluators who evaluated Mr. Aron did identify some psychiatric disorders, and right now we're going to have him evaluated by some defense experts," Bazile told the New York Times.

The Associated Press reported that the evaluation described Aron as "flat," and said his sister died while she was hospitalized for a similar condition.

"I sometimes hear voices," Aron said in a jail-house interview with the Daily News last week. "I don't know what happened. I just panicked."

Aron lured Leiby Kletzky, 8, of Borough Park, into his car on July 11 after the child got lost walking home from day camp, prosecutors allege.

The boy is believed to have been taken by Aron to a wedding upstate, then stayed the night at the plumbing supply store clerk's home. The next day, Aron drugged and smothered the child and cut up his body to hide the evidence, according to prosecutors.

Police say Aron admitted to the crime in a chilling confession hours after he was arrested on July 13.



Levi Aron, charged with killing and dismembering an 8-year-old Borough Park boy, is confused and apathetic and a "practically blank" personality whose younger sister died while institutionalized with schizophrenia, according to a psychiatric evaluation.

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BY THOMAS TRACY

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"We paid for the advertisement,



but it's somebody else's car," said Michael Gross.

Gross couldn't say how many motorists currently have their cars plastered with his ads, and the owner of the car in question could not be reached, but it's a growing trend.

Gross added that most of wefighttickets.com's business comes from

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"I hope he has our number," Gross joked.



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BBQ throwdown!

Friends takes a long-standing argument to the streets

BY DAN MACLEOD

Jeffery Ahay has the best barbecue in Mill Basin.

You know why?

Because I said so.

That's right, me, reporter Dan MacLeod — whose barbecue acumen was born during my days making the Kingsford glow like the midnight sun in my backyard in Maine.

That's right, me, Dan MacLeod, who's covered some of the most intense stories this century, including the opening of a Fiat dealership in Bay Ridge, and a cherry pit-spitting competition in Flatbush.

For years, a group of friends in Old Mill Basin argued over who had the best barbecue in the neighborhood.

So when the organizers of Old Mill Basin's "BBQ Throwdown" needed an



unbiased barbecue lover to rate their contestant's smoky, sweet meat ... they called my colleague, Tom Tracy.

And when he couldn't make it because he had to go to his brother's birthday dinner on Long Island, well,

he transferred them over to me.

And I was ready for the task.

So there I was on E. 58th Street between Avenues N and O at 7 pm on Saturday night, bib draped around my neck, ready to sample and rate some of the chicken, pork and London broil that had been smoking all day.

Seven members of the E. 58th Street N20 Block Association were battling each other for barbecue bragging rights with only me — and my trusty gut (and two other judges) — blocking their path to glory.

Now I may not be a chef, but I am a glutton — and I know what I like when it comes to barbecue (I recently ate nearly 2.5 pounds of barbecue at a spot in Florida in a special dish called "the Mother Lode." Cleaned

my plate, too. The waitress was impressed ... and concerned).

And I found that perfect, delicate mix of smoke, sweetness, and spicy tang — in the 54-year-old Ahay's barbecue.

"We've been having this [discussion] for a long time: Who can cook the best?" said Ahay, who snuck by his neighbor Lindon Seales by one — one! — point.

Why?

In the end, it came down to the taste, as both men scored high in presentation and texture.

In victory, Ahay explained exactly how he got the job done.

"It's just plain-old simple home cooking — no specialty," said Ahay. "I marinated the meat for six hours, then broiled and grilled."

Ironically, Tom Tracy



Reporter Dan MacLeod was set loose on a backyard full of meat in a neighborhood association's first annual barbecue competition, where Jeffrey Ahay (left) was declared the winner thanks to this tangy, spicy chicken. Photos by Steve Solomonson and Dan MacLeod

had hamburgers and hot dogs at his brother's birthday party. You call that a barbecue?

Long live the king. Now, if you'll excuse me, I have to go to the bathroom.

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The city has blocked plans for Water Slide Beach, an amusement park that was supposed to open in Coney Island.

Water park

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park at the beach.

The water park was planned to have featured three water slides, including the 35-foot "Steepelchase Slide," the largest of its kind in the world.

The decision ends a six-year effort by the city to find a hip, action-themed attraction for the beach, to go along with the Luna Park amusement zone and a string of new restaurants and stores that will transform

the boardwalk.

Anthony Gach, the business owner chosen to develop the site, says he spent more than \$250,000 on the failed venture.

"It's a huge loss," said Gach, who owns Party Magic USA, a special events company.

"We put a lot of time and energy into this."

Gach added that he hopes he can find a new site for his park — though the People's Playground was an ideal spot.

"It would have been something exceptional for Coney Island," Gach said.

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Two hurt in car accident

BY THOMAS TRACY

Two people were injured in a car accident at the corner of Avenue L and E. Ninth Street on Aug. 10.

Witnesses said that a Toyota Camry traveling east bound on Avenue L veered away from a minivan making a left turn onto E. Ninth Street — but ended up slamming into the back of a row of parked cars. Each parked car lurched forward upon impact, damaging the car in front of it, officials said.

The driver, who is in his 30s, and a man who was sitting in a parked minivan in the middle of the Domino affect were both taken to a hospital with minor injuries.

Police did not charge any drivers with a crime by press time.



A man suffered light injuries following an accident at the corner of E. Ninth Street and Avenue L last Wednesday.

Photos by Paul Martinka



Let there be light

Lauren Collins of the Church Avenue Business Improvement District and Councilman Mathieu Eugene (D-Flatbush) show off one of 32 newly installed vintage-style street lamps along Church Avenue between Coney Island and Flatbush avenues. The city eventually will replace all 64 lamps in a bid to spruce up the strip.

Photo by Dan MacLeod

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Parents are raising concerns about school security after 15-year-old Nicolas Gryak fell to his death from the roof of an under-construction Bergen Beach middle school last week.

Schools

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The Department of Education claims that security guards routinely monitor Roy H. Mann JHS at E. 68th Street near Veterans Avenue — which has been undergoing facade work since last August — but wouldn't say how the building was guarded last Tuesday night when Nicholas Gryak and several friends scaled the scaffolding surrounding the block-long building.

Gryak, a resident of E. 72nd Street, managed to get to the top of the five-story building at 10:15 pm, but when he and his friends tried to get down, Gryak tumbled into a chimney shaft — falling five floors to his death.

Now residents want to know when and by whom the school is being watched — if it is at all.

"I've only seen a security guard here twice during all this time," said Lauren Mishkin, who lives across the street from the school and saw the kids atop the building.

Department of Education spokeswoman Margie Feinberg said someone monitors the school after the construction crew closes up shop for the night — which is usually at about 9 pm.

"Security is provided when the contractor leaves

the premise for the day," she said.

But she refused to comment on how the school is monitored, how many guards are assigned to the school, or if those guards monitor more than one school in the area — claiming that all of our queries were part of an "ongoing police investigation."

"We cannot comment further without compromising the investigation," she said.

Gryak's devastated friends are demanding that the construction project at the school be halted to prevent other kids from suffering the 15-year-old's fate, and that security be stepped up.

"They should pull it down after what happened," said Justin Clibanoff, Gryak's neighbor. "They should have also had some security. [Gryak] was like a brother to me and I can't get over what happened."

Friends said Gryak, who died at the school, was an avid baseball fan and skateboarder who graduated from Roy H. Mann and was attending James Madison High School.

Gryak was also known for his easy-going attitude.

"[Gryak was] always the one to tell me to live life and forget the drama," Bergen Beach teen Jessica Scherillo noted in a banner filled with messages to the fallen teen during a memorial service outside the school.

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Hot dog!

To the editor,

In his rebuttal letter, David Podesta distorted my position about former Rep. Anthony Weiner ("Gosh Abosh!" Letters, July 7).

What he fails to understand is that people who hold public office are not saints. Weiner acted stupidly, but not criminally.

Elliott Abosh
Brighton Beach

'Sick and tired'

To the editor,

For Pete's sake, I am tired of the crap that is going on in Washington. I'm sick and worried about my country.

The stock market is getting hammered

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

daily and I have no faith in any of those crooks in Washington anymore. This seems to be one big game with no regard for the American people.

Mr. President, you are supposed to be the leader of the most powerful nation on earth, so start leading. President Truman had a sign on his desk that said, "The buck stops here," and I suggest you get one and read it every day. Stop blaming everyone for whatever is wrong, especially former President George W. Bush — that is really worn out.

You are in office three years now, and I think some of the responsibility for the state of affairs lies with you. If the bunch of clowns in Washington worked for any other corporation in the world, they would have been fired.

This country is in a mess and I'm afraid for our children and grandchildren. It seems illegal aliens — and every other group of bums who hate what we as Americans stand for — have more rights than us.

We support countries that hate us, we give money to people who don't deserve it while we let our own suffer and do without. I'm sick of always having to be politically correct.

I'm sick of watering down tests to give jobs to people who can't score high enough. I'm sick of seeing students graduating and

even going to college when they can't even read.

I'm sick of giving every kid a trophy for sports, whether they win or lose, and not even keeping score anymore. We should be preparing them for life in the real world, but we are only setting them up for failure in life.

I'm sick of overpaid, cry-baby athletes. I'm sick of all the phoney city stats to make Emperor Bloomberg look good.

I'm sick of all the tickets being given out for just about anything you do.

I'm sick and tired of the food police.

I'm sick and tired of everyone who thinks the world owes them a living.

I sick and tired of paying my tax dollars and giving it to others who don't deserve it and paying their bills.

I sick and tired of Washington lying to us as if we are stupid.

I am sick and tired of being sick and tired.

Ernesto Cavalier
Midwood

Where's Recchia?

To the editor,

Nice to see Councilman Recchia touting his record recently in a flyer sent to constituents.

I didn't hear a word out of him when the landlords got their biggest raises in

years last June. How much property does the councilman and other legislators own? There is definitely a conflict of interest here.

Recchia also claimed credit for the averting of the layoffs of more than 4,000 teachers.

That sounds good, but how about the fact that retiring and resigning teachers aren't being replaced? This will lead to an increase in class size.

What about doing something, Recchia, about the excessed teachers? Instead of using them as substitutes, why not assign them regular classes so as to lower class sizes?

These teachers lost their positions when their schools were shut or suffered a decrease in student population.

How about the fact that teachers, who haven't had a raise in quite a while, will have to dig deeper in their pockets since Teacher's Choice was cut?

Recchia and others did quite well for themselves when the mayor bought himself another term.

Ed Greenspan
Sheepshead Bay

Shame on Obama

To the editor,

I cannot understand why our president has not ordered all American flags to

Stan takes aim at the FAA, and has a TEA Party

Here's a perfect example of government waste and how, as it so often does, it applies to the inefficiencies of both political parties, Mr. Raisman.

On July 22, the first day of the shutdown by the federal government of the Federal Aviation Administration, thousands of employees were prevented from reporting to work. And guess what job many of them had? It was their duty to collect the federal taxes on airline tickets — which total about \$30 million a day.

We could argue the merits and demerits of the shutdown for years, but the bottom line is that because of it, our government lost a lot of money.

United States Transportation Secretary Ray LaHood blamed this unfor-

**IT'S ONLY MY OPINION**

Stanley P. Gershbein

tunate situation on a "dysfunctional Congress."

There are many people in the United States who

point fingers at the elected officials on both sides of the aisle in our nation's capitol. They want a reduction in taxes, limited government spending, fewer earmarks, a simplification of our tax system, a repeal of the healthcare law passed in March of 2010, and an audit of every federal agency for waste and constitutionality. Who are these people?

They call themselves the TEA party, with the name coming from an event in Boston 238 years ago. The letters standing for Taxed Enough Already. I have attended many TEA party rallies where I have rubbed elbows with Americans from all walks of life. From physicians to plumbers, accountants to actors, carpenters to cops — good, old-fashioned patriotic Americans that do not want

to see this nation become a socialist empire akin to those going down the drain in Europe.

Current polls on the popularity of the movement are all over the map. You can point to the one that shows 56 percent of America disagreeing with the party, but I just saw a poll where a mere seven percent think they were the losers in the recent debt situation.

But the only poll that really matters is the one taken on Election Day.

Members of the TEA Party (myself included) have been called racists. That didn't hold. Then we were Nazis. Sure.

I loved it when guests on Chris Matthews show called us thugs. Hey, Chris. Do you want to talk about thugs? Can you show me where any TEA party rally

in the United States did as much damage as the school-teachers did in Wisconsin? And now, because many of us did not want to see the debt ceiling raised, we are terrorists. Terrorists?

"Heck, if we were real domestic terrorists, President Obama would be wanting to pal around with us, wouldn't he?" This was asked by Sarah Palin in a reference to the President's association with Bill Ayers.

My favorite comment came from Bernie Goldberg who wrote "the same liberal journalists who won't call a real terrorist a terrorist can't go 10 seconds without calling conservative Republicans terrorists."

OK, my colleagues on the left. If the Republicans that voted against the increase in the debt ceiling are ter-

rorists, what do you call the Democrats that voted the same way?

Blaming the TEA party for the downgrade in the credit rating is like blaming the firemen who are called to extinguish the fire. You lose your credit when you no longer have manageability and spend a lot more than you should. You hear that, Chuck?

...

Here's more for your collection of waste in government. The Feds gave \$650,000 of our taxes to North Carolina for "beaver management." Hey, Mr. Raisman. I was always under the impression that fees for local and state hunting and fishing licenses are collected for that sort of thing. I am Stangershbein@bellsouth.net promising you more next week.

Mr. Brickman weather-proofers — the new object of my affection

be flown at half-staff to honor the 30 U.S. troops, mostly elite Navy SEALs, who were killed in Afghanistan. Where is his patriotism?

He found the few hours to sit down and dine with Muslims at the beginning of Ramadan but did not take a few minutes to give the “all flags at half-staff” order.

Shame on our president.

Thankfully, Gov. Cuomo gave the order, and it’s wonderfully evident at firehouses and police stations.

**Joan Applepie
Mill Basin**

Coney baloney

To the editor,

I see and read that many things that should or would’ve restored Coney’s Island image have not panned out as expected.

The Barnum and Bailey circus lasted only two summers. The Village Voice music festival decided to find another location. A water slide proposed for the Coney Island beach never got off the ground due to beach erosion. This project never should have been considered in the first place, what are people thinking?

Due to heavy rains this past weekend, some trains were rerouted, so even if people wanted to attend some fun activities in Coney Island, it would have been impossible.

Last winter, residents of Brighton Beach had no bus or subway service for three days. So when one toots their horn about year-long attractions in Coney Island, I think they better take a longer look before they invest loads of money.

**Jerry Sattler
Brighton Beach**

When we first purchased our house, an engineer inspected the property and reported, “You may have a wet basement, the back wall looks suspicious.” We asked the sellers about it and they replied, “If our basement was wet, would we make a room for our daughter down here?”

We felt secure. After all, what type of parents would let a child sleep in a wet basement?

Apparently, the kind that wants to sell their house.

Our first February saw a record snowfall, and when the big melt occurred, it melted into our basement.

But all was not lost, as we were industrious (and desperate). We went to Sears and bought a wet-dry vacuum. We elevated all our possessions off the floor, and we became aces at the art of bailing out the flood-waters.

Year after year, we prepared for the rainy season and mucked it out. We endured and we were happy — until this past winter’s record snowfall. That’s when the bailing hit the fan, ending whatever bliss we were in.

There was no keeping up with the flow. Night after night, the more we bailed, the more came in. At one point I thought, “Maybe we should build an ark and try to save two of everything.”



NOT FOR NUTHIN'

Joanna DelBuono

We had reached the limits of our tolerance, and needed to find a repair company to stick its finger in the hole.

It took us a few months of getting estimates but we finally decided on the Mr. Brickman weather-proofing company.

Our next difficult decision was whether to go with a French drain and sump pump or repair the cracks, from either inside or outside the basement. We thought long and hard and relived each

and every moment of sucking up the deluge and made up our minds — we chose them all.

Mr. Brickman came in June. He dug. He channeled. He installed. He fixed in and out. When he left he gave us his guarantee: “Your basement will be dry even in the event of a tsunami.” Feeling secure, (fingers crossed and everything still elevated), we waited for the rain.

The summer progressed and there we were, French-drained, sump-pumped and fixed cracks living through the driest season in history.

Until this past weekend.

The rainy season had finally arrived and dumped about 10 inches upon our cracked and parched city.

Would our basement remain dry as promised? Would Mr. Brickman be right?

By Sunday afternoon, we could no longer stand the suspense. The time had come to go down and check. On went the shoes, breath held, step by step we descended. Reaching the bottom, we turned on the lights and looked around. What did our wondrous eyes perceive? The driest basement in all the land.

Not for Nuthin,™ I love my husband, but Mr. Brickman gave me a dry basement, and ended a wet weekend with a ray of sunshine.

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Brooklyn’s ‘wall’ remembers 9-11 heroes

People across the world will watch next month when the National Sept. 11 Memorial and Museum is dedicated at Ground Zero on the 10th anniversary of the worst terror attacks in U.S. history.

But it won’t be Gotham’s first magnificent monument to our worst day.

For the past eight years, a memorial in Brooklyn has offered us a serene sanctuary to reflect upon our shattering losses. It’s free, no reservations or special admission is needed, and it’s illuminated every evening — year-round — until 11 pm.

The Brooklyn Wall of Remembrance — located on the west wall of Coney Island’s MCU Park, a short fly ball away from the Parachute Jump — stands as a powerful portrait of the

courage, spirit and sacrifices of our selfless heroes, who rushed into the molten jungle that was once the World Trade Center, never to return home again.

As wide as a JumboTron screen and as tall as a pair of baby giraffes, the handsome granite palisade bears the names and laser-engraved images of all of the emergency workers from the five boroughs who perished; among them, 346 firefighters, 37 Port Authority officers, 23 cops, three state court officers, one state trooper, one Secret Service agent, two FBI agents, and Sirius, the valiant dog.

The wall exists only because of the determination of ordinary Americans, who parted with their time and cash to deliver us a timely tribute. Its dedication in December, 2002 was



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Shavana Abruzzo

followed by two more in the coming years — its \$500,000 tab paid in full by private donors.

There’s certainly plenty of gratitude to go around: FDNY Chaplain Rabbi Joseph Potasnik, Peter Kasten of U.S. Bronze Sign Company and John Kelly of the Uniformed Firefighter Association helped with the planning, and Jamie Lester sculpted the 6-foot-high bronze relief of a pair of firefighters holding the helmet of a lost smoke-eater. Even Hollywood heavyweights Gary Sinese, Jon Voight and Jackie Mason

were moved to help with the fundraising.

Yet credit for its vision belongs to one man: 72-year-old former Mill Basin resident Sol Moglen, who might as well have known every last one of them judging by his labor of love, which was inspired by a single thought which refused to budge.

“I began to wonder how many firefighters from Brooklyn had been lost,” recalls the soft-spoken recycling company veeper, who was aghast to learn that more than a third of the firefighters who perished on that sunny Tuesday were

from Brooklyn — and later, that the remains of 122 of the borough’s 137 first responders were never found.

Moglen reached out to the community, which responded enthusiastically.

Raymond Goffio says he was watching a ball game at the Cyclones stadium in 2002 when he overheard Moglen discussing his “dream wall” with another fan.

Goffio, the former owner of the Brooklyn Egg Cream Company who had volunteered at Ground Zero for five months, immediately approached Moglen with an offer of help, later putting him in touch with elected officials who successfully lobbied the Art Commission of the City of New York on their behalf.

“Once I’d seen the photos and the plans, I had to

get involved,” says Goffio.

For its visionary, the memorial represents the might of the working stiff — for the working stiff.

“We got it done for the families, and it shows that we can do things without the big corporations,” comments Moglen, who marked 9-11’s milestone anniversary by publishing “The Fallen Heroes of September 11th,” complimentary copies of which were given to each responder family.

The Brooklyn Wall of Remembrance is particularly poignant because it immortalizes the rescuers as one large family.

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Carmino complains about having nothing to complain about

I'm madder than Portnoy when he has nothing to complain about over the fact that I had such a good time hanging out with my old buddies at my goomba Cookie's 75th birthday, that I've got nothing to grouse about this week.

That's right, I said it! I'm happy as a clam (even if I don't understand that expression)!

Look, you all know that Cookie was the best man at my wedding — as I was at his. And I've told you before that he was my son's godfather and I was his daughter's (What can I say? It's an Italian reciprocal thing.)

And you probably already know the backstory between me and my best buddy, but let me recount it again.

Cookie and I first met when we were at PS 130 in Manhattan, where we starred in a class play together.

And that's it, end of story.

So, 67 years later we celebrated his 75th Birthday at Jimmy Hayes Steak House in Island Park on Strong Island.

Now, I've said it before and I'll say it again: nobody throws a 75th birthday party like Cookie's lovely wife, Johanna, and his two daughters, Lisa and Eve.

The best part about it was they got the old gang together: Carmello, Susan, Paulie, Camille, Tommy, Lana — all the buddies that have kept in touch since we all lived in Little Italy.

And boy, have we moved on since those days in Manhattan.

Johanna and Cookie have settled in Florida; Tommy and Lana live in Pearl River; Paulie and Camille live in Ridgewood, New Jersey; Carmello and Susan have a home out in Merrick and Florida. But thanks to this supertechnology called "e-mail," we are in constant touch daily — and we don't even have to lick a stamp!

But I digress.

Look, I don't need to tell you that this is the only time of year that Cookie and I are the same age. But I will anyway, because if I don't, you might miss it. It only lasts three weeks, and after that, I become a year older.

Now, I'm not suggesting that you're bad at math, but I'll tell you this: The Screecher turns 76 on V-J Day, and I expect many birthday wishes sent to my e-mail, diegov-ega@aol.com. And I don't need to remind you that you don't have to lick a stamp to do it.

But I digress. Again. I tend to do that.

Oh, and by the way, this year isn't just Cookie's 75th birthday, but also Paulie and Camille's 50th anniversary, which we'll celebrate with a black-tie affair on Sept. 10.



BIG SCREECHER

Carmine Santa Maria

But let's get to Cookie's 75th birthday. It was held at the same great restaurant that Lisa and Frank were married at last year, so my mouth was salivating when I thought about tackling that filet mignon I remember so fondly.

Oh, I forgot to tell you: Lisa and Eve asked me to bring back a capozzelli (lamb's head with the eye intact) served during Caesars' Night at Villa Roma. Cookie loved to eat them at the table, gobbling up its eye while everyone shrieked in horror. The capozzelli was gift wrapped — and opened after the birthday cake was served, so no one would lose their appetite.

There were a lot of great things about this party — family and friends, delicious food, beautiful ambience in the party room — but the crème de la crème was having a vocalist sing Frank Sinatra favorites for four hours during the party. It was a classy touch because we all grew up listening to the "Chairman of the Board," and every hit brought back memories from our dating and mating days.

Ah, it was a great 75th birthday party, and it was great seeing the old gang again. And the amazing thing is that even though we don't see each other for months at a time, we continue with the conversations the next time we meet. To Camille and Paulie, and to my goomba Cookie, *auguri di cento anni*.

Now here's the point in my column where I throw in an inside joke that only my buddies will understand: Camille, get out of the car!

Screech at you next week!

Library chief squeezes workers to add Saturday hours this fall

BY KATE BRIQUELET

The Brooklyn Public Library will restore weekend hours at more than half of its branches this September thanks to a rule change that will make union employees do basic work when the library's actually open, not during overtime.

The number of branches that are closed on Saturdays will drop from 30 to 17 under the library's plan to conduct administrative tasks such as counting fines and shelving books during public hours. After the changes take affect, 32 of the library's 60 branches will be open six days a week.

"We are very excited to offer increased hours to our patrons at a time when they need and are using our community libraries at record levels," said Linda Johnson, the system's new executive director.

Earlier this year, Johnson scrambled to stream-



Branch hours will be added, thanks to Brooklyn Public Library chief Linda Johnson.

Photo by Philip Greenberg

line services when the mayor's budget threatened to chop more than \$20 million from its \$82-million allocation to Brooklyn's library system. The city restored all but \$1 million of the funding, but the threat of a cut encouraged library executives to reorganize

the work schedules.

Richard Reyes-Gavilan, director of the Central Library branch at Grand Army Plaza, said that library officials implemented new technologies over the past five years — including online fine payments and an automated reservation system — but didn't bring their operations up to speed until Johnson ordered a review amid this year's budget threats.

"Could this have been done sooner?" Reyes-Gavilan said. "Possibly, but it wasn't. Since the economy went south, our focus was on staying alive."

Last year, the nation's fifth-largest library system dramatically cut weekend branch hours, choosing to retain union employees instead of retaining Saturday hours.

To view this fall's expanded hours, visit www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org.

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Con-don't!

Prospect-Lefferts 'Park Tower' condos to be turned into rental apartments

BY DAN MACLEOD

A massive condo tower once slated for Prospect-Lefferts Gardens has been scrapped because of a tanked market — so developers are building rentals instead.

Developer Henry Herbst had planned to build the 23-story monolith near the southeast corner of Prospect Park on Lincoln Road, between Ocean and Flatbush avenues, but he sold the property on Aug. 3, and the new owners have decided to two separate buildings with 140 rentals and room for retail space and underground parking.

"The owner has downsized the plans majorly to something that's more adequate in today's environment" said Melissa DiBella of Terra CRG, the company that brokered the project. "The rental buildings are more fitting for the neighborhood and cost less to build."

The new developers, the identity of whom was not made public by press time, have not said how big the new buildings will be or to what clientele they will market the apartments.

Developers plan to break ground on the L-shaped piece of property with frontage on Lincoln Road and Flatbush this winter.

Plans for the original tower drew mixed responses when the plan was initially presented in 2008, so neighbors were skeptical of news of the revamped plans.

"A 23-story building would have been a monstrosity," said Nancy Ochs, an English professor who has lived in the neighborhood since 1987. "We really just need good housing for people here. We don't want to create a little enclave of luxury housing."

No rendering of the proposed buildings



Developers scrapped a plan to build this monolithic condo tower in Lefferts Gardens and sold off the property. Now, new owners are building two smaller apartment buildings instead.
Courtesy of Gilman Architects

were made available, but DiBella said the buildings would be home to "moderate income housing."

But some neighbors are wary of any plans for big buildings.

"I hope that they will take into consideration the surrounding community and not throw up some ugly thing," said Pearl Miles, district manager of Community Board 9, which covers Lefferts Gardens.

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Star-spangled singer knocks it out

CONEY ISLAND

Look, Standing O knows that **Pia Toscano** hails from Howard Beach, in another borough, but she is singing in our very own MCU Park and that is right here in fantastic Coney Island. In 2003, the then-15-year-old Queens crooner made one of her first public appearances at the home of our beloved Cyclones. Now eight years later and after a stint on Season 10 of "American Idol," she's back to wow the crowds at a Cyclones game. Not only will she sing our nation's anthem, but she's throwing out the first pitch. Standing O suggests you get tickets now for the Aug. 22 game when Pia pitches and the Cyclones take on the Tri-City Valley Cats. It's gonna be one helluva night.

MCU Park [1904 Surf Ave. at West 17th Street in Coney Island, (718) 449-8497].

DOWNTOWN

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Think Fabricate [25 Chapel St. at Jay Street in Downtown, (718) 797-1041].

DYKER HEIGHTS

That's what friends are for

The Brooklyn chapter of the **Sweet Adelines** joined with sister Adelines at the Airport Plaza Shopping Center in Farmingdale to celebrate Sweet Adelines International Day which commemorates the 66th anniversary of the founding of the women's barber-shop harmony organization. The women, in unaccompanied, four-part harmony, serenaded shoppers with barbershop favs and even one number in sign language.

The chorus rehearses every Monday night in Dyker Heights. Interested singers should call Standing O pal Elizabeth at (917) 656-6782.

GOWANUS

Just a Mac a day

The good guys at the Mac Support Store, the first ever Apple authorized repair shop in Brooklyn, donated six Mac laptops to the not-for-profit Rise Up and Walk Youth Outreach Center. When co-owners **Jeff Gra-**



Borough President Markowitz presents a proclamation to Sam Naraiswar, general manager of Mrs. Maxwell's Bakery, while Rebecca Craft and Esteban Vasquez, both of Con Ed, look on.

It's easy – and tasty – going green

EAST NEW YORK

Three baguettes and a scone to **Mrs. Maxwell's Bakery** for looking out for our sweet tooth and our environment. The venerable bakery (since 1928) has partnered with Con-Edison's Small Business Energy Efficiency program to save "wats" of energy and cash, approximately \$7,000 in energy costs to date. Now that's a lot of cookies. Con Ed came in and provided 71 fluorescent

lamps, replaced dozens of other fixtures and installed 14 LED lamps, which allowed Mrs. Maxwell's to save big. The bakery paid 30 percent, and Con Ed picked up the rest. No wonder **Borough President Markowitz** decreed Aug. 9 as "Mrs. Maxwell's Bakery 'Go Green' Celebration Day." Our pal Marty knows a deal when he tastes one.

Mrs. Maxwell's Bakery [2700 Atlantic Ave. at Vermont Avenue in East New York, (718) 345-7400].

ber and **Judith Barr** heard about the need for computers for underprivileged youth, the duo clicked right in and donated to the cause. Now, thanks to Jeff and Judith's generosity, the center is that much closer to reaching its goal of obtaining enough computers for 300 children by this fall.

The Mac Store is a one-stop shop for everything Mac — "We don't do windows," Jeff told Standing O.

Mac Support Store [168 Seventh St. between Second and Third avenues in Gowanus, (718) 312-8341].

BROOKLYN HEIGHTS

Laudes above

It's official — for the fourth year in a row our very own **St. Francis College** was named by Forbes.com on its annual America's Best Colleges list, and moving up 38 slots from last year's standing. "St. Francis College has been generating some great momentum these past several years," said Prez Brendan Dugan. You said it, mister.

St. Francis College [180 Remsen St. at Court Street in Brooklyn Heights, (718) 489-5214].

FORT GREENE

Bad boys, watcha gonna do

Look out, criminals, **Beverly Bradley** is here. This black belt sensai in Tae Kwon Do is taking back the streets, one karate kick and ear-clap at a time. "I saw a video of a girl being grabbed and taken against her will," said Beverly to Standing O. "And that sparked my interest to help women protect themselves."

That pebble started the ripple of starting self-help and fitness classes. It also spawned a website and a face-page dedicated to helpful health tips and the best ways to protect yourself.



High-steppin' Beverly Bradley teaches self-defense courses in Fort Greene.

Photo by Tom Callan



Dr. Edmund Giegerich is the new big man at New York Methodist Hospital.

PARK SLOPE

Hail to new chief

New York Methodist Hospital welcomed **Dr. Edmund Giegerich** as the new chief of endocrinology and vice chairman of medicine on July 1. The field of endocrinology is the care and treatment of hormone disorders, including Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes. Dr. Giegerich also suffers from the condition, having been diagnosed with Type 1 diabetes at age 17. "Learning about the diseases you have is one of the most important steps to recovery," he said. Standing O thinks the other most important step is to have Dr. Giegerich in your corner.

New York Methodist Hospital [506 Sixth St. between Seventh and Eighth avenues in Park Slope, (718) 780-3000].

Beverly leads classes every Saturday and Wednesday in Fort Greene Park and every Monday at a dojo in the nabe.

"Self defense is all about transferring pain," Beverly told us. "In Tae Kwon Do, the first maneuver to learn is to kick the attacker in the knee, the knee buckles, the attacker falls down, you get away. In Sanuces-Ryu (survival-street techniques) you learn to clap your attacker hard on the ear, it throws off the equilibrium, the attacker is disoriented, you get away."

Beverly also believes that you should train on all types of terrain, she leads her class in the woody area of the park, on gravel, cement and tight spaces. After all it's almost a given that you're not going to get attacked in a dojo with cushy floor mats.

Contact Beverly by visiting www.undergroundphysique.com or calling (917) 796-6109.

Boro beat



Swimmers Alan Morrison, Cara McAteer, Jason Malick, Terry O'Malley, Lori Carena, and Leonard Jansen, and kayakers Erik Beard and Will Haase celebrate a long day on the water.



The final swimmer arrives on the Coney Island shore.

MARATHON SWIM WASHES UP AT CONEY ISLAND

BY AARON SHORT

These swimmers went the distance — to Coney Island.

Six aquatic athletes slogged through 17 miles of river currents from Manhattan to Coney Island on Saturday, replicating the route that long-distance swimming champion Rose Pitonof swam exactly 100 years ago.

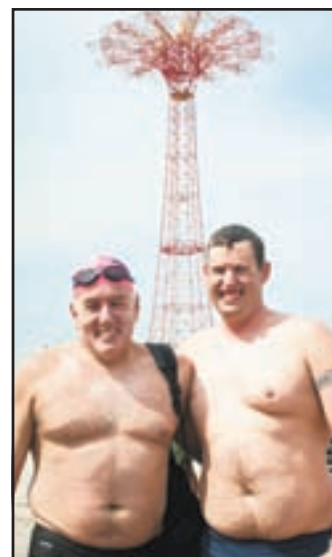
Endurance swimmer Deanne Draeger organized the marathon, dubbed the Rose Pitonof Centennial Swim, in honor of the 17-year-old phenom whose historic sporting feat inspired women worldwide and enthralled thousands of New Yorkers.

"There were many sorts of events like this and not a lot of people had crossed the English Channel yet," said Draeger. "When she arrived there were 50,000 spectators and she could barely get into shore. Her coach came in on a boat and the crowds ripped up the boat to get a souvenir."

A hundred years later, the swimmers reenacted Pitonof's endurance swim stroke by stroke.

Swimmers Lori Carena, Cara McAteer, Leonard Jansen, Jaimie Monahan, Alan Morrison, and Jason Malick dove into the East River at 8:45 am to begin their six-hour maritime journey.

Each swimmer, flanked by two kayakers and a small motorboat, followed the same route that began under the Williamsburg Bridge and through Buttermilk Channel. After swimming into the bay, the swimmers passed under the Verrazano Bridge's stanchions and



Alan Morrison and Jason Malick completed the six-hour swim from midtown to Coney Island on Saturday.

Photos by Janice Yi

turned toward Norton's Point at Seagate, before heading to Coney Island's Steeplechase Pier — the race's finish line.

Carena and McAteer traded places at the front of the pack, swimming neck-and-neck for much of the morning, until Carena pushed ahead for good after the Verrazano Bridge, touching the buoy at Steeplechase Pier to finish the race in five hours and 47 minutes.

"It felt good to stop and to have finished," said Carena. "I was happy to be walking without any problem. I was happy to have won,

even if I was 40 years older than Rose."

McAteer, who trains with the Brighton Beach Open Water Swimmers, came in four minutes later and described the race as "fun, friendly and relaxed."

"I had been expecting the swim to take longer than it did, but we were all moving pretty fast the whole time, so there was time to take in the Statue of Liberty without worrying about having to finish against the tide," said McAteer. "Swimming to the Coney pier was like swimming home, but approaching it from the west gave it a new twist."

Unlike Pitonof's race, only a handful of well-wishers met the swimmers as they walked through the shore at Coney Island beach.

But swimmers were grateful for the attention — and they loaded up on carbs at Ruby's Bar and Grill during the race's afterparty.

And as an added treat, 10 of Pitonof's descendants were on hand, including her 2-year-old great-great granddaughter, who put a medal on the winner.

Swimmer Leonard Jansen said he was grateful that he had the chance to "savor the moment."

"Finishing after a long day was great, especially with the people on the pier, my brother and nephew and everyone cheering," said Jansen. "For now it's enough to still be in life, swim in the ocean and spend time with good people."

TEENS TAKE OUT THE TRASH AT SETH LOW PARK

BY AARON SHORT

Cleaning up Seth Low was a day in the park.

Dozens of high school students joined Assemblyman William Colton (D—Bensonhurst) last week to help spruce up Bensonhurst's Seth Low Park and sweep up Bay Parkway and Kings Highway, which have been blanketed by leaves and trash.

Several neighborhood youth groups, including the Our Lady of Grace Church Teen Group, United Chinese Association of Brooklyn Youth Club, and Midwood High School Key Club, sacrificed some fun in order to get down and dirty with Colton by removing neighborhood litter.

"There is no better civics lesson for our youth than to give back to their community by participating in this much-needed cleanup effort," said Assemblyman Colton. "It is a pleasure to bring these wonderful youth groups together in order to make our neighborhood cleaner and better to the benefit of all residents."

Fortunately, the city supplied the groups with rakes, shovels and bags to assist in the cleanup effort, and prevent anyone from using their bare hands to grip the garbage.



Agnes Huang, George Gu, Redmond Chan, Brandon Zhuang, Jonathan Lin, Richard Lan and Leonid Pershits lend a hand at Seth Low Park.



Ariel Chan, Jessica Zhang, Peisi He, and Joanna Ha also volunteered. Photos by Arthur De Gaeta

BY COURTNEY DONAHUE

Roller derby returned to Brooklyn (where it belongs!) on Saturday during a triple-header of action at the Aviator Sports and Events Center at Floyd Bennett Field.

The three matches featured stars from the Gotham Girls Roller Derby's Wall Street Traitors and All-Star squad and a big match between the New York Shock Exchange and the Harm City Homicide (from the hated city of Baltimore).

For the Shock Exchange, which practices in Bushwick and has been using a venue in Long Island to host home matches, playing on Brooklyn turf was a win on its own.

"We've been working hard to find a venue that we could play at in the city," says Peter "Ladies Knight" Eide. "We have to work harder to get these venues."

The hard work paid off as the Shock Exchange emerged victorious, beating Harm City 311-89.

"It felt great, we had a lot of support from fans," said Eide. "We had a great game, and we all played really well."

Next up for the team is the Men's Roller Derby Association Championships in Long Island on Oct. 22.

Of course, the women didn't let the men have all the fun: the Gotham Girls Roller Derby's B-team, the Wall Street Trai-



The men from the New York City Shock Exchange take on the men from Harm City Homicide at Aviator Sports and Events Center on Saturday.



Wall Street Traitors' Straight Razor (left) knocks down Suburban Brawl's Pony Girl.

Photos by Steve Solomonson

tors, duked it out with the Suburban Brawl All-Stars from Westchester. The Traitors won 138-109.

The last of the day to face off were the Gotham Girls Roller Derby All-Stars and the Denver Roller Dolls' Mile High Club. The Gotham Girls clinched the game by 187-116.

Now, we're not going to lie to you — we have no idea how the teams racked up such high scores, or even how score is kept. But we're sure glad the locals took home the trophies, if any were awarded.

Find out more about roller derby at www.gothamgirlsrollerderby.com and www.nyshockexchange.com.



Wall Street Traitors teammates Anne Frankenstein and The Brazilian Nut congratulate each other on their win over the Suburban Brawl on Saturday at the Aviator Sports and Events Center.

PARADE GROUNDS BECOME PLAYGROUND FOR KIDS

BY DAN MACLEOD

The play is the thing. Two hundred kids took

over the Parade Grounds in Flatbush last Thursday during the Police Athletic League's

Brooklyn Borough Celebration Day — the end-of-the-season fete that cheers the department's seven-week summer program that gives kids a safe place to play in parks and on closed blocks throughout Brooklyn.

"The play streets are set up in areas where kids otherwise could not afford to go to a day camp," said event organizer Richard Guevara.

Fifteen play sites had been set up throughout the borough since July 15, open from 9 am to 5 pm on weekdays, Guevara said.

Last Thursday's event fea-



Wheeee!!! Desta Solomon goes for a slide.

ured a double-dutch contest, tug-of-war competition, carnival games, three-on-three basketball, obstacle courses, face painting and a rock wall.

"It was a great time," Guevara said.



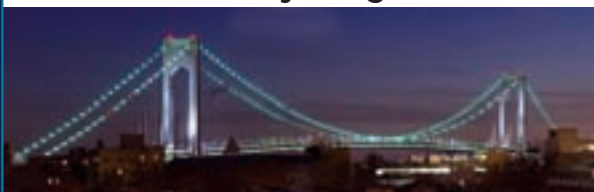
AJ Beato makes it to the top of the rock climbing wall.



Hanan Mukhtar and his brothers Ali Mukhtar and Afnan Mukhtar play table hockey at the Police Athletic League's play day last Thursday at the Parade Grounds Park.

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18th Ave. fest continuing as expected

BY DANIEL BUSH
 Bensonhurst's beloved
 18th Avenue Festival is on
 — and, yes, it will be 10 days
 long.

Silencing rumors that
 the Festa di Santa Rosalia,
 the decades-old festival in
 honor of the patron saint of
 Palermo, would be scaled

back to one day or elimi-
 nated altogether, the city
 told us that the traditional
 street fair will indeed begin
 on schedule and last its nor-
 mal run.

“The city plans to issue
 a permit for the [festival]
 from Aug. 25 to Sept. 4,” said
 Evelyn Erskine, a spokes-
 woman for the mayor. She
 added that the festival's or-
 ganizers, the Society Santa
 Rosalia Club, were given
 the go-ahead weeks ago.

Festival organizers
 could not be reached for
 comment.

Eyebrows were raised
 this week after two blogs
 posted reports that the mu-
 sic and fried-food-fueled
 street festival would be
 slashed to one day to cut
 costs. The report cited a city
 website that posted a calen-
 dar listing showing the feast
 would start and end on Aug.
 25, and the fact that festivals
 in other neighborhoods had
 been cut altogether.

So when business own-
 ers on 18th Avenue heard it
 wasn't true, they rejoiced.
 “It's good for the neigh-

borhood,” said Joe Maffei,
 the owner of Gino's Focac-
 ceria, which sells pizza and
 fried dough at the festival.
 “It brings business to the
 area.”

And residents happy to
 hear it was still on said they
 love the festival because it
 brings people together year
 after year..

“It's a tradition that I
 remember going to since I
 was a kid,” said longtime
 resident Gina Gallo.

Still, others said today's
 street fair is a far cry from
 years past, when the festi-
 val served as a more low-key
 religious celebration for the
 neighborhood's dwindling
 base of Italian-Americans.

“I really like it but there's
 a lot of noise,” said Suzanne
 Colareta, who lives on 72nd
 Street, off of 18th Avenue,
 adding that the music from
 the fair can be heard all the
 way down her block.

“Maybe they should
 shorten it,” Colareta said.

Marnee Elias-Pavia,
 Community Board 11's dis-
 trict manager, chalked the
 mix-up to an online typo.

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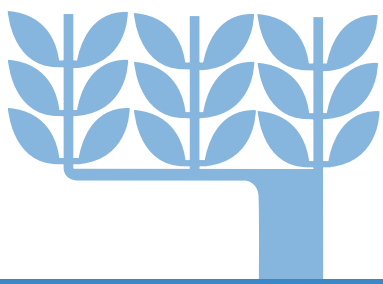
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Our team of Rehabilitation specialists: Physiatrists (rehabilitation doctors), Nurses, Physical, Occupational and Recreation therapists, Speech pathologists, Audiologists, Vocational counselors, Social Workers and Case Managers, work closely with patients and their families. These professionals are not only committed to providing the rigor-



ous comprehensive rehabilitation service of the highest quality, but also to educate patients and their caregivers and address patients' unique needs to facilitate recovery.

Nursing is an integral part of the Kingsbrook Rehabilitation Institute. Rehabilitation nursing is a specialized field that offers a unique and holistic approach to the

care of patients with disabilities and chronic health problems. Primarily, it is our goal at Kingsbrook to help alleviate the profound impact of disability and chronic illness. We assist patients and their families for proper reintegration of newly rehabilitated individuals back to their communities. Our rehab nurses who are FIM certified, provide specialized care to our patients using techniques that extend far beyond therapy. It is important that the goals reached in therapy are reinforced and integrated so that our patient's can be as functional as possible. Our nurses reinforce patient's learning from other disciplines and provide continuity and integrity to the patient's rehab experience.

The Physical Therapy service is a major component of the Kingsbrook Rehabilitation Institute. The main goals of physical therapy are to regain movement in affected areas of the body and to help our patients safely achieve an optimum

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...Rehabilitation is now crucial to the recovery process

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level of functioning. Physical Therapy helps with such tasks as re-learning to walk safely with or without use of assistive devices, negotiating stairs, or getting in and out of bed or chair among others.

The Occupational Therapy department helps patients achieve optimal independence in their activities of daily living and reintegrate the patient into the community. Our therapists use assistive devices to rehabilitate patients' daily living skills lost to injury or disease and thereby improve patients' quality of life. Therapeutic exercises target ability to perform basic household activities, such as simple meal preparation, light household cleaning, and laundry as well as improvement of balance and physical endurance. The occupational division also has an adult and pediatric specialized seating and mobility clinic, which assists patients to obtain appropriate positioning and mobility devices.

Our Speech and Language Pathology department provides the diagnosis and treatment for disorders of voice and swallowing. Treatment may include communication training based on the electronic system for the appropriate candidate. In addition, the Institute is one of the few facilities in the region to offer Brainstem Auditory Evoked Response testing, which measures brain activity in response to sounds and may help diagnose brainstem disorders such as multiple sclerosis, brainstem stroke, or brainstem degenerative disorders.

The cognitive Rehabilitation program focuses on improving thinking skills affected by in-



jury or disease. We develop a specific program tailored to the individual based on the results of the neuropsychological evaluation of patients' cognition. Such programs may involve retraining of memory, attention, concentration, visual skills, reasoning, and social skills. Additionally, the neuropsychology team provides supportive psychotherapy to help our patients adjust emotionally to change in their physical status or to the partial loss of independence.

Traumatic Brain Injury Center

Our Traumatic Brain Injury/Coma Recovery Unit is state certified and accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF). The largest of its kind in Brooklyn, this unit treats individuals with acquired brain injuries, stroke, brain tumors and other neurological illnesses. Because the medical and cognitive problems that may result from brain injury are extremely complex, individual assessment and treatment are vital. Our dynamic interdisciplinary team of certified, experienced professionals skillfully manages these issues.

Kingsbrook Rehabilitation Institute is dedicated to providing optimum level of care. Its self-contained, state-of-the-art

unit includes ventilators and cardiac telemetry among other devices ensuring patient's medical stability. On the TBI Unit, family participation and collaboration with the medical team are encouraged and nurtured and are crucial in helping patients reach their rehabilitative goals.

Cardiac Rehabilitation Program

Cardiac Rehabilitation is a specialized service offered to patients who have undergone open heart surgery, such as a valve replacement or bypass procedures.

Individualized treatment programs designed and directed by physicians are conducted under the constant supervision of a registered nurse (RN), physical therapists and occupational therapists. Progressive exercise regimens combined with patient education, activities of daily living training, relaxation techniques and stress management, help patients towards their rehabilitation goals. This postoperative cardiac rehabilitation program may begin a few days after surgery. During therapy, a cardiac telemetry unit is utilized to monitor the patient's heart, alerting the team to any exercise induced changes. The program is carefully structured in levels of difficulty, of-

ten beginning very gently and progressing as confidence and endurance builds up.

Pediatric Rehabilitation Program

Early intervention is considered essential in improving movement and function in children with disabilities. The Kingsbrook Rehabilitation Institute is aggressive in providing rehabilitation services to children with mild to severe disabilities such as neurological cerebral palsy, neuromuscular disorders, and speech and hearing deficits. Our goal is to improve the quality of movement and function for these children and to prevent avoidable medical and physical complications such as contractures and deformities. Rehabilitation specialists, including occupational therapy, physical therapy and speech-language therapy, meet regularly to plan programs and to design adaptive equipment for use at home or in school.

Vocational Services

Through evaluation, counseling, and skills training, patients are helped to identify vocational strengths, accept areas of weakness, and explore new work interests when necessary. Vocational services provide a link with employers for patients wishing to return to a prior job or a referral to community vocational services for those who cannot return to their prior employment.

The Kingsbrook Rehabilitation institute is one of many comprehensive services within Kingsbrook's impressive health care system. Ask your primary care physician for a referral. For an appointment, please call (718) 604-5341.

Awards and Recognition



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IPRO AWARD

Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center has received the IPRO Award for its organization-wide, exemplary commitment to quality improvement in surgical care improvement. This impressive award recognizes Kingsbrook's outstanding commitment to quality practices and patient safety. Each year IPRO recognizes outstanding performances by health care providers and stakeholders throughout New York State with its Quality Awards Program. This year's honorees included hospitals, nursing homes, an ambulatory care facility and patient support

organizations. IPRO is a national organization providing a full spectrum of healthcare assessment and improvement services that foster more efficient use of resources and enhance healthcare quality to achieve better patient outcomes. Founded in 1984, IPRO is highly regarded for the independence of its approach, the depth of its knowledge and experience, and the integrity of its programs.

"This award is a significant honor and a testament to our team effort in improving patient safety and clinical effectiveness for patients undergoing surgery," states Dr. Kurt

Kodroff, Vice President of Quality at Kingsbrook, "We are grateful to IPRO for their expertise, and the support they provided for this project which has resulted in Kingsbrook meeting best practice standards for preventing surgical site infections."

NCQA Recognition

Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center's primary care program received recognition from the NCQA Diabetes Recognition Program (DRP). Facilities who achieve DRP Recognition show their peers, patients and others in the community that they are part of

an elite group that is publicly recognized for its skill in providing the highest-level diabetes care. Kingsbrook's region of Central Brooklyn is known as an epi-center for diabetes, one of the highest in New York State.

NCQA developed the Diabetes Recognition Program (DRP) to provide clinicians with tools to support the delivery and recognition of consistent high quality care. This voluntary program is designed to recognize physicians and other clinicians, who use evidence-based measures and provide excellent care to their patients with diabetes.

Advice from the leaders in Geriatric Psychiatry

“When your loved one can’t remember things, drifts in and out of moods and is no longer able to function; we can help...”

“The mind is the foundation of our wellbeing. It is what ultimately defines the quality of our lives. If your mind is healthy and at peace, so is the rest of your being.”

— Aaron Pinkhasov, MD, Director, Department of Neurology/Psychiatry

It is estimated that there are 24 million people living with some form of dementia. Although there are several forms, Alzheimer’s is known as the most common. Currently, more than five million Americans suffer from Alzheimer’s, and it is the seventh leading cause of death in the U.S.

Additionally, late life depression affects about 6 million Americans age 65 and older. Depression is believed by many experts to be the number one cause of disability in the world. Additionally, late life depression often coexists with other medical illnesses and is often related to loss of support systems due to retirement, the death of a spouse or close friends. This is occurring due to the fact that we are living much longer than any previous generation, and the fastest growing segment of our population is 80 years and over.

Kingsbrook’s Geriatric Psychiatric program is a 33 bed OMH certified acute inpatient unit, which is the only specialty geriatric psychiatry program of its kind in Brooklyn. It was opened in 1995 to address these growing issues. The department provides psychiatric and medical evaluation and treatment; individual & family therapies; psychopharmacological treatment; cognitive assessment; as



well as activity, education and therapeutic groups. The unit accepts both voluntary and involuntary admissions of patients 55 years and older.

The inpatient unit serves patients with conditions such as: Alzheimer’s and other dementias with behavioral problems, as well as those suffering from anxiety, depression and other mood disorders, schizophrenia and other psychoses. The Geriatric Psychiatric Unit provides services to an ethically and culturally diverse population, including individuals of African-American, Haitian, Hispanic and Russian heritages. Our professional staff mirrors the cultural diversity of our patient population.

“Many of our patients have medical co-morbidities that are

addressed by our expert staff familiar with the psychiatric and medical management of the elderly geriatric population,” stated Dr. Pinkhasov, Director of Neurology & Psychiatry at Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center. “Our program is uniquely structured, incorporating, when necessary many specialty services offered by Kingsbrook such as Rehabilitation Medicine; Neuropsychiatric and Psychological Testing; Dietary and Nutrition service; as well as all Medical and Surgical services.”

This special unit is part of Kingsbrook’s Department of Neurology/Psychiatry that provides both inpatient and outpatient psychiatric and neurological services. It is housed on a spacious unit which is lo-

cated on Minkin 3 in the David Minkin Rehabilitation building and psychiatric services are provided 7 days a week, 24 hours a day.

“We are here for you to make the transitions to inpatient treatment and discharge as seamless as possible.” States Esther Koen, Service Line Manager for Geriatric Psychiatry. “The department places special emphasis on continuity of care and safe discharge to community with proper follow up services etc. Please use our HOTLINE Number at (877) KJMC- 999 or 877-556-2999 and we will provide you with easy access to our services.”

The Outpatient Mental Health Program is comprised of a New York State Office of Mental Health Certified Mental Health Clinic (MHC). Outpatient mental health services are provided to adults age 18-and up. The Mental Health Clinic is operational Monday – Friday from 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM. Call (718) 604-5281 for additional information or appointments.

“When you are treated on KJMC’s Geri-psych unit you know that you are in good hands. States Steve Hirschhorn, Program Administrator. “Our staff truly cares about our patients and their families, and are well equipped to make a difference in their lives.”

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Kingsbrook receives support for Breast Health Outreach Initiatives

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Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center was awarded \$68,400 from the Greater New York City Affiliate of Susan G. Komen for the Cure in support of the facility's breast health outreach initiative designed to provide mammography services in underserved communities throughout Central Brooklyn. This important initiative will provide free outreach, education, mammography, screening coordination, and case management services to minority women aged 40 and older.

Through the proposed program Kingsbrook will provide community awareness programs, group and private education workshops about the importance of breast screening, and will provide referrals for mammography services. Kingsbrook can assist uninsured women, who meet the criteria, to receive free mammography services.

AVON FOUNDATION FOR WOMEN

The Avon Breast Health Outreach Program has awarded a \$50,000 one-year grant to Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center to increase awareness of the life-saving benefits of early detection of breast cancer among its Caribbean American population. It is the first year that the program has received funding from the Avon Foundation for Women to support its work on this important health issue.

Kingsbrook's Caribbean Breast Health Initia-

tive will educate Central Brooklyn women and refer them to low-cost or free mammograms and clinical breast exams in their own communities. The vital program will also provide needed services to many women who are under or non-insured in the community.

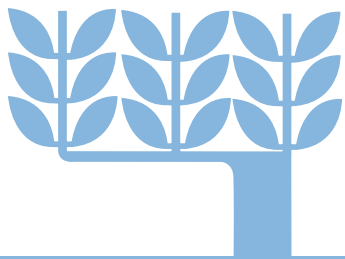
For more information about our Breast Health education programs, please call 718-604-5238.

OUR FIGHT AGAINST BREAST CANCER

Kingsbrook provides 3,000 mammograms annually to women at its Women's Wellness Center, including hundreds referred through the Brooklyn Healthy Living Partnership. However, Kingsbrook recognizes the still unmet needs of African American and Caribbean American women, new female immigrants, and residents of the underserved neighborhoods of Bedford-Stuyvesant, Canarsie, Crown Heights, East New York, and Flatbush, and continues to make every effort to ensure that women in the above categories have access to this critical area of care.

In Central Brooklyn, breast cancer has the highest death rate among our female residents, yet women in our primary service area seek and receive mammograms for breast cancer at a rate well below the 85% target. This translates into a mortality rate for Central Brooklyn women of 34 deaths per 100,000 from breast cancer, compared with 26 deaths per 100,000 throughout New York City. While advances have been made in prevention, diagnosis, treatment and cure, early detection still affords the best opportunity for successful treatment.

Programs such as Kingsbrook's Breast Health Program help ensure that all women have access to early detection information and options, especially poor and medically underserved women.



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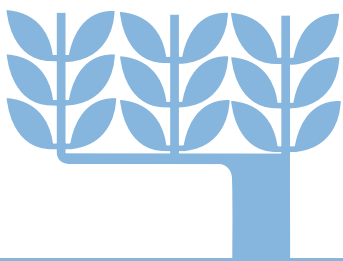
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FREAKY BREW!

Coney Island Brewing Company finally available in Coney Island

By Dan MacLeod

The freak show just got another freak show.

Coney Island Brewing Company has opened what is believed to be the world's smallest brewery — a 175-square-foot shop on W. 12th Street that cranks out a gallon of brew per batch.

"You can buy a bottle at a time," said Jeremy Cowan, founder and owner of the company, an offshoot of the San Francisco-based Shmaltz Brewing Company. "It's our official new clubhouse in Coney Island."

The mini-beer garden — a beer shrub, really — was launched last Thursday in conjunction with Coney Island USA, the group that runs the Sideshow and the annual Mermaid Parade. In exchange for a penny for each bottle of "Albino Python" and "Sword Swallow" sold on-site, the arts group gives the brewery a rent-free space and use of Coney Island freak-show imagery.

"We give a business with an artistic sensibility a foothold in the neighborhood and hopefully they move on and become part of the neighborhood," said head freak Dick Zigun. "They need a jump start."

Indeed, this could be the beginning of a planned Brooklyn expansion, Cowan said.

"I'm looking for the right fit for our company to find a bigger home in Coney Island and to explore the rest of Brooklyn as well," Cowan said.

Coney Island Brewing Company (3008 W. 12th St. between Surf Avenue and Bowery Street on Coney Island), Thursday–Sunday, noon–6 pm. For information, visit coneyislandbrewing-company.blogspot.com.

Eby Harvey has her hands full with beer from the Coney Island Brewing Company — the self-described "world's smallest brewery" that can be found on W. 12th Street. Come and get your own.

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Balled over

This event is black and white and red all over. No, that's not a set-up to a played-out joke, but the latest extravagant party from nightlife gurus Gemini and Scorpio — this Sunday's Black and White and Red All Over Ball.

The promoter's excuse for a big bash this go around is in honor of Coilhouse Magazine, a culture publication marking its fourth year online and a new print issue this fall that employs a BauHaus/German Expressionist palette (hence the color theme of the ball).

To celebrate, the party mavens are putting together an underground costume ball of epic proportions at the Red Lotus Room, a Crown Heights cabaret room known for hosting Shanghai Mermaid's elaborate art parties.

This arty affair will not disappoint, with live music courtesy of drummer Brian Viglione (Dresden Dolls), accordionist Franz Nicolay (The Hold Steady), and singer Kim Boekbinder (Vermillion Lies); general spectacle in the form of belly dancing, burlesque and aerial works; and — this is where you come in — eye-popping costumes. For inspiration, take the party's name and Bauhaus aesthetic to heart and think Klaus Nomi-esque tuxedos for the men and anything architectural for the ladies — as long as it's red, black and white, of course.

The Black and White and Red All Over Ball at the Red Lotus Room (893 Bergen St. between Classon and Franklin avenues in Crown Heights), Aug. 21 at 7 pm. Tickets \$15. For info, visit www.geminiandscorpio.com.

— Meredith Deliso

Dressed up

Here's your chance to discover the next big fashion designer.

On Aug. 24, dozens of yet-to-blow clothing designers and musicians will shake the stage at Public Assembly in Williamsburg — coupling offbeat threads with homegrown indie rock.

Models will showcase collections by Angels and Divas — a line of oversized feather accessories once seen on BET's fashion show runway — along with Maria Sevryna, whose sleek and asymmetrical dresses are both comfortable and boundary-pushing.

And don't forget the music: Bands like Snakes Say Hiss! — a trio spastic synth-poppers that has inspired an Internet cult following with its wacky video of a dancing hamburger — will perform, along with The Morning After Girls, a group of androgynous psychedelic rockers you might know from that one episode of "The Vampire Diaries."

Organizers have launched this first-annual concert-fashion-show collaboration — dubbed Fashion & Flow — to kick-start the careers of below-the-radar artists who are just as buzz-worthy as some of their hyped-up fashion week peers in Manhattan.

"Most of us live in Williamsburg — so we wanted to host it here," said Elizabeth Taylor, an organizer. "The neighborhood is really thriving."

Fashion & Flow at Public Assembly [70 N. Sixth St. at Wythe Avenue in Williamsburg, (718) 384-4586], August 24 at 7 pm. Tickets \$20.

— Natalie O'Neill

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BEST BETS

Battle Week is back!

It's time to dust off the muskets and ready the cannons — Battle Week is back.

From the DUMBO waterfront to hills of Green-Wood Cemetery, Brooklyn will commemorate the events of August, 1776 — when the Battle of Brooklyn raged.

It was the first real battle of the Revolutionary War, held in and around an old farmhouse, whose replica now sits in a park near Fifth Avenue and Third Street. After attacked by the British, the majority American troops, led by Gen. George Washington, fled to Brooklyn Heights, where they were able to cross safely to Manhattan and escape unharmed while 400 Maryland soldiers bought them time.

It's a mixed celebration, depending on how you look at it: historians either view it as an embarrassing defeat for Washington, or a daring military move that helped win the war.

Here, at least, we're all about the latter, as from Aug. 19 to 28, you can mark the 235th anniversary of the battle through nearly a dozen events,



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All fired up: On Aug. 28, musketeers will sport revolutionary garb to once again re-enact the Battle of Brooklyn at Green-Wood Cemetery's Battle Hill.

including a "Maryland 400" remembrance ceremony at the Old Stone House on Aug. 20; a Gowanus Canal canoe tour [Second Street and the canal in Gowanus, (718) 768-3195], Aug. 24 at 6 pm; reenactment of the escape at Brooklyn Bridge Park on Aug. 27; and, to end the festivities on an explosive note, a commemoration at the Green-Wood on Aug. 28 featuring musketeers in revolutionary garb shooting cannons and muskets. Borough pride will be loud and clear.

Maryland 400 Remembrance Ceremony [meet at Eighth Street and

Third Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 499-9482], Aug. 20 at 10 am; Gowanus canoe tour [Second Street and the canal in Gowanus, (718) 768-3195], Aug. 24 at 6 pm; reenactment at Brooklyn Bridge Park [Main Street and Fulton Ferry Landing in DUMBO, (718) 802-0603], Aug. 27 at noon; Battle of Brooklyn Commemoration at Green-Wood Cemetery [500 25th St. at Fifth Avenue in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768-7300], Aug. 28 at 12:30 pm. For info, visit www.theold-stonehouse.org.

— Meredith Deliso

'Tempest' up on the roof

A new theater company devoted to performing Shakespeare's classics in unexpected places is starting off on the right foot — with a production of "The Tempest" on a Greenpoint rooftop.

Porpentine Theater Co. founder Peter James Cook has been dreaming of directing the Bard's fantastical comedy on a rooftop ever since moving here six years ago and becoming acquainted with the tradition of the Brooklyn rooftop party.

"I loved the idea of an urban island looking out on the city," said the Greenpoint director, who's worked at more traditional venues such as The Brick in Williamsburg and DUMBO's Galapagos Art Space. "I liked the idea of escaping from the city by going a floor up."

It was only a matter of finding the right roof, and after an initial location fell through, Cook turned to Craigslist. He quickly found an available space on Green Street.

In keeping with the inspi-

ration, the play begins in modern day at a booze-fueled rooftop party populated by twentysomething jokesters and status seekers, which then transforms into the world of Prospero, the exiled Duke of Milan, who attempts to restore his daughter, Miranda, to power through magic.

In setting the scene, Cook uses few props, beyond beer bottles and lawn chairs, and keeps the lighting at a minimum, instead letting the untraditional space do the work.

"I wanted to capture what's naturally evocative about being up there," said Cook. "I don't think anyone has been to a performance of 'The Tempest' quite like this before."

"The Tempest" at The Roof (242 Green St. between McGuinness Boulevard and Provost Street in Greenpoint, no phone), Aug. 19-Sept. 5 at 8 pm. Tickets \$10. For info, visit www.brownpapertickets.com.

— Meredith Deliso

Eric Gilde stars as Caliban in a new production of "The Tempest."

Photo by Elizabeth Graham



Beer bash

It's last call at the Brooklyn Historical Society.

The landmark Brooklyn Heights museum been hosting a laid-back beer garden all summer long on its outdoor patio — and the final soiree is Aug. 25.

"We wanted to take advantage of this beautiful building and make it as accessible as possible," said Society spokeswoman Keara Duggan.

"Having music and beer invites people who might not otherwise know we're here.

For this last installment, enjoy Brooklyn Brewery beverages and bluegrass tunes from the Get Down Boys and BBox Radio, which went through the museum to find inspiration, said Duggan.

You can also head indoors for your own inspiration, too, and explore the museum's current exhibitions: "Inventing Brooklyn: People, Places, Progress," "Painting Brooklyn Stories of Immigration and Survival" and "Home Base: Memories of the Brooklyn Dodgers at Ebbets Field." Be sure to raise a (figurative) glass to Jackie, Pee Wee and Duke.

Brooklyn Brewery Beer Garden at the Brooklyn Historical Society [128 Pierrepont St. between Clinton and Henry streets in Brooklyn Heights, (718) 222-4111], Aug. 25 at 7 pm. Free admission (drinks \$5). For info, visit www.brooklynhistory.org.

— Meredith Deliso

Guitar hero

Charlie Hunter may just be the eight-stringed wonder of the world.

The guitar virtuoso, who came up in the California jazz scene, has made a name for himself for his custom-made seven- and eight-stringed instruments. Since moving to New York, he's also known for giving artists Norah Jones and John Mayer their big breaks before they've made it big.

Hunter may not possess their household names, but he's no slouch — the musician has put out 17 albums, including his most-recent, "Gentlemen, I Neglected To Inform You You Will Not Be Getting Paid," and tours as often as possible (the song "Ode To My Honda Odyssey" on his latest album is for his dependable car — 143,000 miles and going strong).

Lucky for you, the musician's next stop is right in Brooklyn, as Hunter brings his laid-back, blues-inspired signature sound to Sycamore in Ditmas Park on Aug. 18 and 25.

"It's a nice place when off the road to stay in shape," said Hunter.

He may be known for bass-guitar hybrid, but live, Hunter takes his cues from a different instrument entirely.

"My solo show really revolves around the drums — not playing the drums, but taking that attitude and patterns and trying to put them into what the guitar is doing," said Hunter. "I love playing in all different formats, but solo, I've just developed my own thing."

Charlie Hunter at Sycamore [1118 Cortelyou Rd. near Westminster Road, (347) 240-5850, Aug. 18 and 25 at 9 pm. Tickets \$10. For info, visit sycamorebrooklyn.com.

— Meredith Deliso

Anatolian Gyro brings authentic Turkish cuisine to Sheepshead Bay

By Camille Sperrazza

You don't have to travel leave Brooklyn to enjoy authentic Turkish food.

Anatolian Gyro Turkish restaurant brings food from the country's Anatolian region right here to Sheepshead Bay. Owner Metin has been cooking since he was a kid, learning to prepare traditional Turkish dishes from his mom. Today, he takes pride in providing this always fresh, quality food to Brooklynites who frequent his charming restaurant.

The family-owned and operated business contains photographs and artifacts of this stunning area in Turkey. Metin, who grew up in Brooklyn, still frequents Turkey as often as he can, bringing back new treasures from each trip, that decorate the colorful walls of the restaurant.

Appetizers include many favorites. The creamy humus — chickpeas with lemon juice, garlic, and tahini; eggplant salad — chargrilled with garlic, herbs, tomatoes, and parsley; and Baba Ghanoush — grilled eggplant that has been pureed with tahini, garlic, olive oil, and lemon juice — make great starters. Scoop them up with delicious crusty bread that's baked right on the premises.

The stuffed grape leaves here are delicately filled with rice and herbs. Piyaz, a white



Thanks to Anatolian Gyro, you never have to leave Brooklyn for Turkish food



including the mouthwatering chicken gyro, shown here by Abdullah.

Photo by Steve Solomonson

bean salad, is a tasty blend of beans, red peppers, parsley, onions, vinegar, and oil. A Russian salad contains boiled potatoes, eggs, carrots, pickles, and green peas, mixed with mayonnaise.

No visit to Anatolian Gyro would be complete without shepherd salad, a zesty blend of tomatoes, cucumbers, onions,

parsley, and seasonings.

Meat deliveries are made to the restaurant five times a week, says Metin. He's that busy. He estimates that "80 to 85 percent" of his customers frequent the place each day. Some eat in; others take out. The counter in the front is well-staffed to handle the many people who wish to

come in, grab and go.

"People don't like to wait for food," says Metin, so he makes sure his staff is ready to accommodate them. Anticipating customers' needs is no doubt one of the many factors that have allowed Anatolian Gyro to remain in business for 17 years.

For those who do want to

relax and spend time lingering over a meal, there's ample seating to the rear, at tables adorned with colorful tablecloths. Menu options are displayed beneath glass tops so all seated can view what's offered.

Meals are cooked to order, and the grilled meats are high on the list of customer favorites. The chicken gyro is sea-

soned with tomato, ketchup, and secret spices that give it a wonderful flavor and texture. Chicken kebabs — nice chunks of white chicken breast — are likewise tasty.

Adana kebab features ground lamb seasoned with spices and red pepper, while the lamb gyro is cooked to perfection on a charcoal fire.

Vegetarians can enjoy falafel — chickpeas, celery, cilantro, parsley, onion, beans, garlic, and spices. It's shaped like a meatball, without the meat. Top it with some humus, and it's one great meal.

Anatolian Gyro makes its own hot sauce, made from fresh jalapeno peppers. If you like some zest on your food, you'll love it.

For dessert, don't miss the really tasty baklava, dripping with honey and nuts. There's also a nice pistachio roll, and semolina cookies, with a honey syrup. All are made on the premises. For those seeking other sweets, they carry tiramisu, chocolate mousse, and cheesecake.

Turkish coffee is served in lovely espresso-sized cups, a great way to end a fine meal.

Anatolian Gyro [1605 Sheepshead Bay Rd. between E. 16 and E. 17 streets in Sheepshead Bay, (718) 769-4754]. Open seven days a week, from 11 am to 11 pm. For more information, visit www.mygyro.com.

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ELVIS IS IN THE BUILDING

New Brooklyn Museum exhibition features mask depicting the King



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The Brooklyn Museum has restored a classic piece of African tribal garb: an Elvis Presley mask used by the Nyau Society of the Chewa peoples in Malawi. (Inset) You know who.

By Meredith Deliso

The Brooklyn Museum is all shook up — over an African mask that looks like none other than Elvis Presley.

This Elvis sighting comes courtesy of the museum's new exhibition, "African Innovations," a mix of contemporary and ancient art pieces that emphasize interactions and familiarity with other parts of the world.

The intriguing tribal piece, worn by members of the Nyau, a society of the Chewa peoples in Malawi, is part of a genre of ceremonial masks that depict the King. And it's the cream of the crop.

"This is the best of this genre that I've seen," said Brooklyn Museum curator Kevin Dumouchelle. "It's the most that actually looks like Elvis, with the long, hairy sideburns and

pompadour."

Indeed, there's the slight curl of the hair at the forehead and the trademark facial hair, as well as his dark, soulful eyes, and you can almost make out a snarl of the lips.

The hand-craved wooden piece was made in 1977 — the year of the King's death — and would have been worn during socialization rituals to show young boys improper behavior, like hand-holding in public. Similarly used masks depict Charlie Chaplin, colonial officers and the Virgin Mary, said Dumouchelle, though he couldn't say why Elvis specifically was depicted for this use, and if it had anything to do personally with the hip-swiveling hound dog.

"I'm not entirely sure if they knew of the late Elvis's behavior," said Dumouchelle.

The Elvis mask, which is on view indefinitely as part of the exhibition, is a nice get for the museum.

"I don't know of many public museums that have them out on display," said Dumouchelle, who's been

wanting to get a piece like this in the museum's collection for a number of years. "We're breaking some ground."

The curator wisely assumes the Elvis mask will be a big draw.

"It's just kind of funny and unusual enough to catch your eye," said Dumouchelle, though he hopes museum goers will use the opportunity to also explore the rest of the exhibition, which features 200 objects from the museum's collection of African art, including "Mother with Child (Lupingu Lua Luimpe)," a Lulua sculpture from the Democratic Republic of the Congo that is considered to be one of the great masterpieces of African art.

Still, it'd be hard to upstage the King, and, indeed, visitors to the museum on Sunday were immediately drawn to the peculiar mask, which is found rather unceremoniously in the corner of the exhibit, in front of an air vent.

"I can't see too well, but I saw it from across the museum," said

Jack Ucciardino of Bensonhurst. "I thought, 'What's Elvis doing here?'"

His companion, Stacy Marshall, wasn't so taken with the piece.

"It's ugly," said the Sheepshead Bay resident. "What's wrong with his nose? It's not a very good depiction."

Still, she took a picture with her cellphone camera.

Other museum-goers were curious about the piece, but were left with more questions than answers.

"How do you wear it?" wondered Dan Greenberg, who was visiting from Connecticut. "I would love to see a video of how they used it."

For others, those curiosities are the mask's charm.

"It's definitely a good museum piece," said Aaron Harry of East New York. "You could contemplate about it for hours."

"African Innovations" at the Brooklyn Museum [200 Eastern Pkwy. at Washington Avenue in Prospect Heights, (718) 638-5000], open now indefinitely. Closed Mondays and Tuesdays.

DOG DAZE!

'Hipster Puppies' to invade DUMBO

By Kim Lightbody

Bearded, plaid-wearing hipsters are coming to DUMBO this month — but don't worry, these ones won't lock you into a conversation about Slavoj Žižek or Animal Collective.

"Hipster Puppies" will invade powerhouse books on Aug. 25 — a bark-filled beauty pageant to celebrate Christopher Weingarten's new photo book of dogs straight outta Williamsburg. In



other words, if you like your pups with oversized glasses, headphones, and wool hats on them, this is the event and book for you.

"I wanted to have an event for the book, but I wanted an excuse for people to bring their dogs," said Weingarten, a resident of Greenpoint. "It's a lot more fun than me standing in front of people reading from my book."

Weingarten began the puppies-

as-hipsters craze last year on blogging website Tumblr as a light-hearted parody of the bedheaded, Kombucha-drinking Brooklynites who have turned Williamsburg into something of a national joke.

The website launched the book, "Hipster Puppies," which includes not only the photos of dogs looking like art school drop-outs, but sarcastic captions that poke fun at the hipster lifestyle. One dog claims, for example, that he can taste the difference between regular and fair-trade coffee — and

looking at the picture, you almost believe him.

Weingarten, who begrudgingly admits that he, too, is a hipster (must be the "artisanal ketchup" he buys at Smorgasburg), said it wasn't difficult to find inspiration for the book.

"I wrote a huge chunk of it just walking up and down Bedford Avenue," he said. "A lot of the captions come from the narcissism that comes with being an

artistically inclined person interacting with other artistically-inclined people."

But rather than make fun of people, Weingarten chose to relay his message through furry canine companions.

"I'm an amateur social anthropologist when it comes to people," joked Weingarten. "But I'm a full-blown professor of hipster animals."

His skills will be put to the test at the pageant, where he'll have to choose the prize-winning pup. As guests sip on free cans of PBR (what else?), Weingarten will be judging each pupster's accessories and attitude.

"It's going to be really hard for me to not just go with the cutest dogs, because I'm very partial to smushy-faced pugs and Chihuahuas," he said. "But I don't want to compromise the integrity of the pageant. It's going to be which one is the most hipster."

Hipster Puppies Pageant at powerHouse Arena [37 Main Street at Water Street in DUMBO, (718) 666-3049], Aug. 25, 7 pm.

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Andy moved to San Francisco because it was more "laid-back" and "anticonsumerist" than New York, but still manages to drink two cups of Starbucks a day.



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MUSIC, KING FALCON: 11:15 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

SALES AND MARKETS

CORTELYOU GREENMARKET: 8 am–6 pm. [Cortelyou Road between Argyle and Rugby roads in Ditmas Park, (212) 788-7476], www.grownyc.org.

OTHER

READING, LAURA LJUNGKVIST: Author of "Follow the Line to School." **Free.** 4–5 pm. PowerHouse Arena [37 Main St. at Water Street in DUMBO, (718) 666-3049], www.powerhousearena.com.

PAT HULL, JO WILLIAMSON, MICHAEL CHINWORTH: \$10. 7:30 pm. Union Hall [702 Union St. at Fifth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 638-4400], www.unionhallnyc.com.

COMEDY, PRETTY GOOD FRIENDS: Five-year anniversary show, hosted by Eugene Mirman. \$15. 8 pm. The Bell House [149 Seventh St. at Third Avenue in Gowanus, (718) 643-6510], www.thebellhouseeny.com.

MON, AUG. 22

MUSIC, THE QUAVERS AND FRIENDS: 7 pm. Barbes [376 Ninth St. at Sixth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 965-9177], www.barbesbrooklyn.com.

MUSIC, THE GO ROUND: 8 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

MUSIC, LORD CLASSIC, NOVA: 8 pm. **MUSIC, ROBBERS ON HIGH STREET:** \$5. 8 pm. Brooklyn Bowl [61 Wythe Ave. between N. 11th and N. 12th streets in Williamsburg, (718) 963-3369], www.brooklynbowl.com.

MUSIC, JOSH BENUS: 9 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

MUSIC, CHIA'S DANCE PARTY AND FRIENDS: 9:30 pm. Barbes [376 Ninth St. at Sixth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 965-9177], www.barbesbrooklyn.com.

MUSIC, REUBEN CHESS: 10 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

MUSIC, BLAKE CHARLETON: 11 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

TUES, AUG. 23

MUSIC, YETI CAMP: 7 pm. Barbes [376 Ninth St. at Sixth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 965-9177], www.barbesbrooklyn.com.

AUSTIN LUCAS AND THE BOLD PARTY; MARCELLUS HALL AND THE HOSTAGES: \$10 (\$8 in advance). 7:30 pm. Union Hall [702 Union St. at Fifth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 638-4400], www.unionhallnyc.com.

MUSIC, MARGARET GLASPY: 8 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

MUSIC, GREAT DIVIDE, JONES STREET STATION: \$8–\$10. 8 pm. Brooklyn Bowl [61 Wythe Ave. between N. 11th and N. 12th streets in Williamsburg, (718) 963-3369], www.brooklynbowl.com.

MUSIC, SLAVIC SOUL PARTY: Fiery gypsy brass, soulful Balkan anthems, and hip-grinding American funk. \$10. 9 pm. Barbes [376 Ninth St. at Sixth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 965-9177], www.barbesbrooklyn.com.

MUSIC, RACHEL MASON AND LITTLE BAND OF SAILORS: 9 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

MUSIC, JEFFERSON HAMER AND MAEVE GILCHRIST: 10 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

MUSIC, SAM MICKENS: 11 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

WED, AUG. 24

MUSIC, DADDY ROCKER: **Free.** Noon. Borough Hall [209 Joralemon St. between Court Street and Boerum Place in Downtown], www.daddyrock.com.

FARMERS' MARKET: Locally grown veggies, herbs and flowers. 2:30–6:30 pm. High School for Public Service Youth Farm (600 Kingston Ave. at Winthrop Street in Prospect Lefferts Gardens), hspfarm.blogspot.com.

MUSIC, FASHION AND FLOW: Check out up-and-coming designers and bands. \$20. 7 pm. Public Assembly [70 N. Sixth St. at Wythe Avenue in Williamsburg, (718) 782-5188], www.publicassemblynyc.com.

READING, ALEX SHAKAR: Discusses Luminarium with Susan Choi. **Free.** 7:30 pm. Greenlight Bookstore [686 Fulton St. between S. Elliott Place and S. Portland Avenue in Fort Greene, (718) 246-0200], greenlightbookstore.com.

MUSIC, JEROME SABBAGH QUARTET FEATURING BEN MONDER: \$10. 8 pm. Barbes [376 Ninth St. at Sixth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 965-9177], www.barbesbrooklyn.com.

MUSIC, DAVID VANDERVELDE, SANTAH: \$8–\$10. 8 pm. Knitting Factory [361 Metropolitan Ave. at Havemeyer Street in Williamsburg, (347) 529-6696], ny.knittingfactory.com.

MUSIC, THE STOOGES BRASS BAND: \$5. 8 pm. Brooklyn Bowl [61 Wythe Ave. between N. 11th and N. 12th streets in Williamsburg, (718) 963-3369], www.brooklynbowl.com.

MUSIC, ROOTS & RUCKUS: Night of folk, old-time and blues music. \$10. 9 pm. Jalopy [315 Columbia St. between Hamilton Avenue and Woodhull Street in Columbia Street Waterfront, (718) 395-3214], www.jalopy.biz.

MUSIC, THE MANDINGO AMBASADORS: 10 pm. Barbes [376 Ninth St. at Sixth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 965-9177], www.barbesbrooklyn.com.

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MUSIC, SEWING MACHINES: 10 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

MUSIC, BEN SERETAN: 11 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

THURS, AUG. 25

BROOKLYN BOROUGH HALL GREENMARKET: 8 am–6 pm. See Saturday, Aug. 20.

BEER TASTING: Talk and pour a brew. Presented by the Brooklyn Brewery Beer Garden. \$5. 7 pm. Brooklyn Historical Society [128 Pierrepont St. at Clinton Street in Brooklyn Heights, (718) 222-4111], www.brooklynhistory.org.

READING, CHRISTOPHER WEINGARTEN: Author of "Hipster Puppies." Featuring a pet pageant, so bring your own hipster pup. **Free.** 7 pm. PowerHouse Arena [37 Main St. at Water Street in DUMBO, (718) 666-3049], www.powerhousearena.com.

OPEN MIC: All acts welcome; host Mike Harris. **Free.** 7:30 pm. Tillie's [248 DeKalb Ave. at Vanderbilt Avenue in Fort Greene, (718) 783-6140], www.tilliesofbrooklyn.com.

GREENLIGHT SUMMER OPEN MIC SERIES: Featuring poet Roger Bonair-Agard. **Free.** 7:30 pm. Greenlight Bookstore [686 Fulton St. between S. Elliott Place and S. Portland Avenue in Fort Greene, (718) 246-0200], greenlightbookstore.com.

TALK, GET SMART LECTURE SERIES: Featuring speakers Debbie Berenbichez, Ron Eglash and David Rothenberg. \$20. 8 pm. Galapagos Art Space [16 Main St. at Water Street in DUMBO, (718) 222-8500], www.galapagosartspace.com.

MUSIC, SERENA JOST: 8 pm. Barbes [376 Ninth St. at Sixth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 965-9177], www.barbesbrooklyn.com.

MUSIC, ORVAL CARLOS SIBELIU: 8 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

MUSIC, HANNIBAL MONTANA, LIFE AMONG THE TREES, IVAN & THE TERRIBLES: 8 pm.

THEATER, "THE TEMPEST": 8 pm. See Friday, Aug. 19.

MUSIC, CIVIL TWILIGHT: \$5. 8 pm. Brooklyn Bowl [61 Wythe Ave. between N. 11th and N. 12th streets in Williamsburg, (718) 963-3369], www.brooklynbowl.com.

MUSIC, AFTERNOON: 9 pm. Pete's Candy Store [709 Lorimer St. at Richardson Street in Williamsburg, (718) 302-3770], www.petescandystore.com.

MUSIC, THE MIDDLE EIGHT, MIKO AND THE MUSKET, GREAT DOG ALMIGHTY: A benefit concert for Pipeline Theatre Company. \$15. 9 pm. Knitting Factory [361 Metropolitan Ave. at Havemeyer Street in Williamsburg, (347) 529-6696], ny.knittingfactory.com.

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Xaverian's Kevin Martir commits to Maryland

BY ZACH BRAZILLER

Jose Cuas and Kevin Martir joked about playing college baseball together, like all good friends and teammates do. The two played different positions, were both well-respected prospects and are basically brothers.

Neither, however, really expected it to happen.

"We planned it like friends joking around, 'Imagine if we did this?'" Martir, the Xaverian rising junior, said.

David Owens, their summer ball coach with the New York Grays, took them seriously, making calls about the possibility. Maryland, it just so happened, was graduating its starting shortstop and catcher this coming spring and wanted both of the Brooklyn natives.

They wanted Maryland just as much and recently both Cuas, the smooth, 6-foot-3 Grand Street Campus shortstop, and Martir verbally committed to the on-the-rise ACC school.

"It's really sweet," Martir said. "We basically grew up together. We're best friends, brothers."

Martir, 17, and Cuas have known each other for more than a decade, going back to playing Little League together at Highland Park in Brooklyn. The two East New York residents went their separate ways for high school, but reconnected with the New York Grays two years ago. They have a unique bond, having played together for so long they use



Xaverian's Kevin Martir has verbally committed to Maryland, joining longtime friend Jose Cuas of Grand Street Campus.

Photo by David Allen

eye contact instead of words to communicate.

"They have their own little language," Owens said. "If you watch the two of them, you notice they are really in sync, both on and off the field."

The two picked Maryland for the same reasons: an opportunity to start right away, a full scholarship and the promise of a bright future. Though the Terrapins went just 5-25 in the ACC a year ago and 21-35

overall, it was the first season with third-year coach Erik Bakich's nationally ranked recruiting class. A former assistant at national powerhouse Vanderbilt for seven years, 22 of Bakich's recruits were drafted.

"I like his plans on building the program," said Martir, who helped Xaverian to the CHSAA Class AA city title in the spring. "He was a big part of bringing up the program at Vanderbilt. Why can't he do the same here?"

While Cuas, 16, may be the city's top prospect next spring — he hit .620, bashed four home runs, had 34 RBIs and scored 28 times as a junior — Martir is impressive in his own right. Though he played first and third base for Xaverian as a junior to make way for Pittsburgh recruit Elvin Soto, Martir is a splendid backstop, Owens said. At the Perfect Game Showcase last January, Martir had the top POP — the time it takes a catcher to throw to second base after the ball hits his mitt — and has excelled this summer blocking balls and throwing out runners.

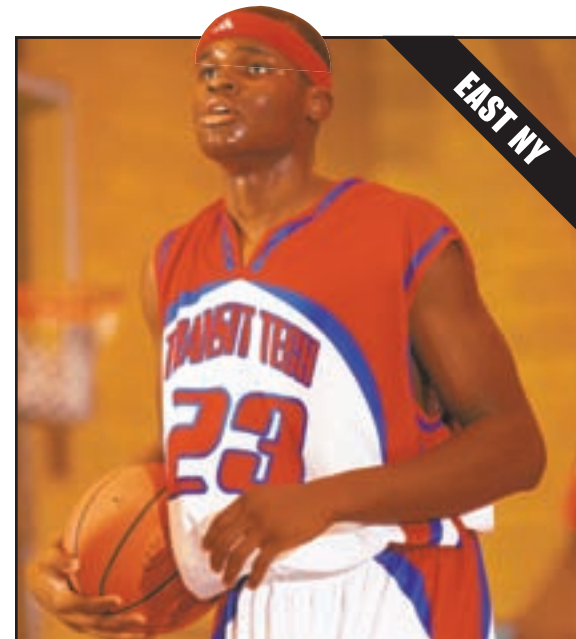
"Defensively, he has professional skills right now," Owens said. "He just stops running games. That was one of the things the coaches at Maryland really liked."

He's been one of the Clippers' top hitters the last two years on the varsity and has begun to spray line drives to all fields.

"Kevin will turn around any fastball thrown at him," Owens said.

Martir committed first and Cuas followed shortly thereafter. Martir was overjoyed when his good friend shared the good news, saying "there weren't words" to describe his emotions. The two missed out on high school together, but will get to grow into young men now alongside one another.

"It makes up for it," Martir said. "It'll be big, you have someone you can turn to, talk to, who will take stress off your shoulders. You won't feel that far away from home."



Former Transit Tech star Rhamel Brown is excited for his second season at Manhattan College. Photo by Kendall Rodriguez

Stronger Brown readies new era

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Peter Wehye noticed a difference in Rhamel Brown the moment he laid eyes on him this summer. The former East New York Transit Tech forward had finished his first year playing basketball at Manhattan College and was back for a second season with Wehye's X-Men team at Rucker Park's Entertainer's Basketball Classic.

"When you saw him walk in the door you saw the physical difference immediately," Wehye said. "Once he played, we saw it automatically."

Brown was always strong, but now he was more chiseled and solid after going through a strength and conditioning program at the Riverdale school. His time with the Jaspers added confidence to his game on both ends of the floor and a greater assertiveness. His improved conditioning allows him to

play more minutes.

Wehye said Brown is rebounding better, challenging shots more effectively and is more comfortable with the ball in his hands.

"He specializes in blocking shots and rebounding," the coach said. "Now he is finishing."

In the X-Men's convincing 81-58 win last Tuesday over Team Posse at Gauch's Gym, Brown finished off a few dunks, but the most telling example of his improvement came in the first half. He caught the ball at the top of the key, took one strong dribble, took the contact and finished between two defenders for a 3-point play.

"I'm extending my abilities, trying not to be one-dimensional," the 6-foot-6, 215-pound Brown said. "The more dimensions to your game you have, the harder you are to guard."

He was a major contributor
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Buy-a-Run day returns, continues to challenge ethics of sport

BY AARON SHORT

Kickball's controversial fundraiser is back for a second helping.

On the last day of the regular season on Aug. 28, teams will be able to purchase runs at \$10 a piece, a benefit for the Greenpoint Reformed Church's food bank.

League Commissioner Kevin "Com-ish" Dailey is encouraging teams to "corrupt the system" by buying runs, and even wins, against rival teams to help the church buy food supplies for its pantry and soup kitchen.

"Some teams can buy themselves a playoff seed; others will be boxed out," said Dailey. "All I can say is put up or shut up. If your team is good enough, you can kick your way out of being out-bought."

Still, the fundraiser allows talentless teams such as Salute Your Jorts, ironically named Natural Born Winners, or the beyond-stale Taco Taco Taco to finally beat the league-leading John Cougar Mellencamps.

As such, not everyone is a fan.

"Whoever gives the most money wins? It's not really about playing a good game of kickball," said New Frontiersman pitcher Jessica "Sporting All-American Style" Siebert.

Last year, the league raised \$2,665 for the church, as one of the season's lowest-ranked teams, Hot Mess, bought victories over second-ranked Never Scared and third-ranked New Frontiersmen for \$300.

"It was the only day Hot Mess mercied anyone last year, so it was a good day," said Hot Mess infielder Ashley "The Megaphone" Terrill. "Though I don't think the 'ranked' teams like it so much."

So far Dailey has already raised \$4,000 and hopes to generate more through sponsorships with restaurants and bars near McCarren Park.

Several veteran kickball players have volunteered at the



Fernando 'El Matador' Martinez

Kickball Fever

Photo by Elizabeth Graham

church's soup kitchen on Wednesday nights, and Dailey says that now the players can put their money where others mouths are.

"What people need to understand is unemployment is high, and services are being cut," said Daley. "Starving people need more money and there are more needy people."

Game notes

A record rainfall on Sunday washed out much kickball ac-

tion, as only 10 teams showed up to play.

Brooklyn United reaffirmed its reputation as the league's best sloppy weather team, butchering the Bacon Bits, 10-2, and dismissing People's Court.

"It was disgusting!" said Brooklyn United's "Hey" Kate Brown. "There was a huge puddle just past home plate, so to slide into home meant you were getting soaked. Everybody went for it."

In other games, of which there were few, Baywatch solved the slumping Mathletes, 5-4, Bacon Bits stomped on Natural Born Winners, and a rag-tag team of five kickball players, including Dailey, mercy-ruled Salute Your Jorts.

Dailey was proud of the teams that came out.

"It was warm enough so it was like a water park — everyone got wet and extremely sore," said Dailey. "If you take a bad hop to the face, it's not going to hurt very much."

Brooklyn Kickball at Gilroy Field in McCarren Park (Bedford Avenue at N. 13th Street in Greenpoint), Sundays, 5-11 pm.

Rhamel Brown

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utor for the Jaspers and former coach Barry Rohrssen as a freshman. Brown was the best shot blocker in the city as a senior at Transit Tech as he led the Express to their first ever PSAL Class AA semifinals.

He averaged 6.7 points and 7.1 rebounds playing in all 31 games and starting 25 at Manhattan. He posted consecutive double-doubles back on January, including 10 points and 11 rebounds in a loss to Canisius. Brown also had 13 points on 6-of-7 shooting in a season-ending defeat to Siena in the opening round of the MAAC Championships.

Brown mentioned helping the Jaspers shut down the University of Pennsylvania late in an early season win as the moment he realized he could make a considerable impact. Despite the strong core of local talent that includes All Hallows alum Michael Alvarado, Kidani Brutus of Wings and Roslyn's George Beamon, Manhattan finished a disappointing 6-25 and Rohrssen was fired. There is now an enthusiasm around the program for new head man Steve Masiello, a former assistant at Louisville and Manhattan.

"I think he rubs off on a lot of guys," Brown said of Masiello. "He motivates everyone to work hard. The expectations are very high. We are going to do whatever it takes to live up to our expectations."

He isn't setting any individual expectations for himself next season only to do whatever is needed to put Manhattan in the win column. It's exactly what he's done for the X-Men this summer as they are a victory against one of streetball's most famed teams awat from accomplishing their goal of putting their names with the city's top squads.

"It's a tough tournament," Brown said. "It's an honor to win any of the top tournaments in New York City."

Ford star ends stellar summer with St. John's offer

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Mike Toro meets with each of his players individually before every season and the Bishop Ford girls basketball coach had a special message for rising junior point guard Aaliyah Lewis. He approached her about being more of a leader, something Toro felt she's begun to do. He wanted her to be one of the team's captains this year.

Lewis told him to hold off on the latter, feeling she wasn't ready just yet.

"I feel like I haven't matured yet," Lewis said. "Basketball wise I'm there, but [not yet] off the court."

Toro felt that her statement in itself was a sign of her growing as a person and a player by taking a wait-and-see approach be-

fore taking on the responsibilities. He said she needs to learn to deal with frustration better, to put it aside and not let it affect her play on the court.

Her ability there is unquestioned. During a timeout at St. John's University team camp Sunday, Lewis pulled rising junior forward Tanasia (Sweets) Blake aside to explain something she saw.

"You see on the court as a point guard she always tries to lead the team, tries to be vocal," Toro said.

Lewis ended a stellar summer with Ring City with an offer from St. John's to go along with ones from Rutgers and Boston College. The 5-foot-4 guard also has serious interest from West Virginia,

Hofstra, Southern Illinois, Iona, North Carolina State and VCU among others. She said the process hasn't become overwhelming yet, but knows it will only intensify with time. It's her motor and fearlessness at her size that impresses coaches the most.

"St. John's is a good look," Lewis said. "I actually like this campus. That just motivates me to get better. I know I have a lot to do to prepare myself for a top D-I school."

The attention she has gotten has only motivated her to get better. Lewis always has had the ability to get break down defenders and get to the basket. She has even become more efficient at it, needing less dribbles and steps to get into the



Bishop Ford guard Aaliyah Lewis picked up an offer from St. John's last weekend.

Photo by Denis Gostev

lane and get off a shot.

Her concern now is finishing more, by adding a floater and improving the consistency of her jump shot. Lewis connected on

3-pointers in bunches last season, including three in the third quarter of an 18-point performance of an overtime win over Molloy in the CHSAA Brooklyn/

Queens Division I quarterfinals. Toro said that, combined with her passing ability, allows her to make her teammates better.

"At least she knows that no matter how good she is now there is always improvement," Toro said.

That's exactly what her focus is for a Falcons team that loses just two players, one starter, after an uneven campaign. Ford fell to Mary Louis in a CHSAA Brooklyn/Queens Class AA tie-breaker game last winter. Lewis will be part of a deep and talented backcourt with Shanice Vaughan, Aaliyah Jones and Jill Conroy.

"Now that I see it's getting closer and closer to my senior year," Lewis said, "now I see I really have to step up now."



Cyclones stay tough while away

Team goes 4 for 5 during last week's road trip before heading into All-Star break

BY GERSH KUNTZMAN

After taking three-of-four from the hated Staten Island Yankees, the Cyclones took four-of-five on the team's road trip last week. So at the All-Star break, Brooklyn was just four-and-a-half games behind the Yankees for first place and in a three-way tie for the league's lone wild-card slot. Here's a look back at the week that was:

Cyclones 9 Muckdogs 2

Aug. 9 at Batavia

The Cyclones began the road trip with a resounding win over the pesky Muckdogs that included a grand slam by hot-hitting Travis Taijeron.

The pride of Brooklyn got on the board first, with four runs in the second. After three walks, Ismael Tijerina knocked in two with a single. Then Javier Rodriguez knocked in two more with

his 18th double of the year.

The Muckdogs did get two in the eighth to cut the score to 4-2, but the Cyclones went nuts in the ninth, putting up a five spot and batting around.

Daniel Munro led off with a double and later scored on Rodriguez's RBI single. After an error loaded the bases, Taijeron hit the grand slam that served notice that these Cyclones are getting that last playoff spot.

Cyclones 3 Muckdogs 1 (Game 1)

Aug. 10 at Batavia

The Cyclones got all they'd need in the third inning. Carlos Leyva led off with a single, and Daniel Munro doubled. Javier Rodriguez hit what should have been a groundout, but the Batavia shortstop threw home too late to catch Leyva. Munro scored on an error on the next play.

The Cyclones scored an-



Travis Taijeron has been hot at bat this week. Photo by Tom Callan

other run in the fifth. After Leyva and Munro singled, Richard Lucas knocked in a run with a single.

Muckdogs 2 Cyclones 1 (Game 2)

Cyclone reliever Jeremy Gould blew the nightcap. He had pitched two innings, striking out four, before starting the home eighth

with a walk. He got the next two outs before yielding a walk-off RBI double.

It erased a nice performance by starter Jeffrey Walters, who gave up one run in five innings.

Cyclones 10 Muckdogs 4

Aug. 12 at Mahoning Valley The Scrapppers, aided by

a double-steal, got a run in the first, but after that, it was mostly all Cyclones.

In the second, the Cyclones got on the board on Cole Frenzel's double. And in the third, a run scored on an error, making it 2-1.

Three more runs scored in the fifth, two on Richard Lucas's triple and another on a wild pitch.

The Cyclones made it 6-1 in the sixth when Ismael Tijerina bunted home Travis Taijeron.

The Scrapppers got to starter Carlos Vazquez in the sixth, loading the bases on a single, a double and hit batter. That's when manager Rich Donnelly summoned Orlando Tovar from the bullpen — but Tovar promptly gave up a sac fly and a two-run double, making the score 6-4.

But the Cyclones put it out of reach in the eighth, scoring four runs in a barrage. Charles Thurber led

off with a double, moved to third on a bunt and then scored on a wild pitch. After Tyler Carpenter walked, Tijerina doubled him home, then scored on two wild pitches. Another single scored another run before the rally ended.

Cyclones 2 Muckdogs 1

Aug. 13 at Mahoning Valley

The Clones took the second game in a row from the Scrapppers, thanks to a two-out double by slugger Richard Lucas and a sixth inning groundout.

But the story here was Cyclone pitching, which limited the Scrapppers to just two hits on the night.

Starter Randy Fontanez gave up both in his four innings, but after that, the bullpen tandem of Steve Winnick and Todd Weldon shut down the Scrapppers, giving up no hits and striking out seven in five innings.



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3DBC, LLC, a domestic LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/21/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Laura Diana-Garratt, 9989 Shore Rd., Apt 16E, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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560 PROSPECT REALTY LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC), filed with the Sec of State of NY on 6/21/11. NY Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him/her to The LLC, 159-16 Union Tpke., Ste. 301, Fresh Meadows, NY 11366. General Purposes.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO LAW, that the NYC Department of Consumer Affairs will hold a Public Hearing on Wednesday, August 31, 2011 at 2:00 p.m. at 66 John Street, 11th floor, on a petition from Mojito Cuban Cuisine Corp. to continue to, maintain, and operate an unenclosed sidewalk cafe at 82 Washington Avenue in the Borough of Brooklyn for a term of two years.
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PARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, ATTN: FOIL OFFICER, 42 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, NY 10004.

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2831 WEST 20TH STREET LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC), filed with the Sec of State of NY on 5/11/11. NY Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him/her to Laura Keenan, 1965 Batchelder St., Brooklyn, NY 11229. General Purposes.

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3DBC, LLC, a domestic LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/21/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Laura Diana-Garratt, 9989 Shore Rd., Apt 16E, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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560 PROSPECT REALTY LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC), filed with the Sec of State of NY on 6/21/11. NY Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him/her to The LLC, 159-16 Union Tpke., Ste. 301, Fresh Meadows, NY 11366. General Purposes.

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BROOKLYN FUSION LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC), filed with the Sec of State of NY on 5/2/11. NY Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the

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LLC served upon him/her to The LLC, 1324 Nostrand Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11226. General Purposes.

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Den's Hot Dogs LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/20/11. Office in Kings County. SSNY designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Denys Gorbatiuk, 105 Oceana Dr. E. NO. 4E, Brooklyn, NY 11235. Purpose: General.

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FORTIS MANOR, LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC), filed with the Sec of State of NY on 6/15/11. NY Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him/her to Andrew Greene, Esq., Andrew Greene & Associates, P.C., 202 Mamaroneck Ave., 3rd Fl., White Plains, NY 10601. General Purposes.

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Hampshire Asset Management LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/16/11. Office in Kings County. SSNY designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 2626 E. 14th St Ste 201, Brooklyn, NY 11235. Purpose: General.

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Jiang Irving LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/2/11. Office in Kings County. SSNY designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Wei Jiang, 163 Metropolitan Ave, Brooklyn, NY 11211. Purpose: General.

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Name: KELLY FRAMEL LLC Art. Of Org, Filed Sec. Of State of NY 04/06/2011. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. SSNY desig-

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nated as agent upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY to mail copy of process to THE LLC, 161 North 4th Street, New York, NY 11211. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

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Name: NO VOLVERE, LLC Art. Of Org, Filed Sec. Of State of NY 04/27/2011. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. SSNY designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY to mail copy of process to THE LLC, THE LLC C/O, Alejandra Parra, 436 Van Brunt, Apt. 4., Brooklyn, NY 11231. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

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Name: NO VOLVERE, LLC Art. Of Org, Filed Sec. Of State of NY 04/27/2011. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. SSNY designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY to mail copy of process to THE LLC, THE LLC C/O, Alejandra Parra, 436 Van Brunt, Apt. 4., Brooklyn, NY 11231. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

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Name of LLC: Esopus Creek Pictures LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State: 6/28/11. Office loc.: Kings Co. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: c/o Business Filings Inc., 187 Wolf Rd., Ste. 101, Albany, NY 12205, regd. agt. upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful act.

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Notice is hereby given that a tavern wine license Serial # 1256357 has been applied for by the undersigned to sell same in a cafe/lounge under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law at 9324 3rd Avenue aka 275 94th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11209 for an on-premises consumption. Sams Bakery LLC, 9324 3rd Avenue aka 275 94th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11209.

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Notice of Formation of 138 Newton Realty LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 7/13/11. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to the principal business address: 138 Newton St., Brooklyn, NY 11222. Purpose: all lawful purposes.

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Notice of Formation of 1866 OCEAN AVENUE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 08/03/11. Office location: Kings County. Princ. office of LLC: 1529 56th St., Brooklyn, NY 11219. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to c/o Betty Hoch at the princ. office of the LLC. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of 566 MORGAN LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/05/11. Office location: Kings County. Princ. office of LLC: 98 Greenpoint Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11222. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC at the addr. of its princ. office. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of 57 St. Marks Avenue LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 6/24/11. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to the principal business address: c/o John R. Cochran, III, Six Montchan Dr., Wilmington, DE 19807. Purpose: all lawful purposes.

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Notice of Formation of 79 KINGSLAND LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/19/11. Office location: Kings County. Princ. office of

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LLC: 234 Skillman Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11211. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, c/o James J. Matusiak, Esq., 1615 Northern Blvd., Manhasset, NY 11030. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of Apollo Windows & Metal Studs LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/21/05. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to the principal business address: 48 Cypress Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11237. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of ASSISTED HOME CARE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/11/11. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 3125 Emmons Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11235. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of BNG REALTY, LLC, a domestic LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 01/21/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: Nerik Kariyev, 36-08 Clarendon Road, Brooklyn, NY 11203. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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Notice of Formation of Brand Equity Holdings LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 6/6/11. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC at the addr. of its princ. office. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of JESSICA CHESLER PRODUCTIONS LLC, a domestic LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/03/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process

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Notice of formation of BROOKLYN BRAND LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/1/2011. Office location, County of Kings. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Zalman Schochet, Esq., 225 Broadway, 39th Floor, New York, NY 10007. Purpose: any lawful act.

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Notice of Formation of CASTEX PRODUCTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 6/21/11. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 605 2nd St., Brooklyn, New York, NY 11215. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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Notice of Formation of DN+6 Construction Co., LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 6/7/11. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to the principal business address: 9311 Glenwood Rd., Brooklyn, NY 11236. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of FIGHTING SQUARES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/11/11. Office location: Kings County. Princ. office of LLC: Neil Gust, 60 Broadway, 6F, Brooklyn, NY 11211. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC at the addr. of its princ. office. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of JESSICA CHESLER PRODUCTIONS LLC, a domestic LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/03/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process

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cess against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: 423 1st Street #1, Brooklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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Notice of formation of LAM NYC EB-5 FUND LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/24/2011. Office location, County of Kings. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Zalman Schochet, Esq., 225 Broadway, 39th Floor, New York, NY 10007. Purpose: any lawful act.

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Notice of Formation of LIA Harlem LLC. Arts. of Org. filed Secy. of State of NY (SSNY): 6/24/11. Off. loc.: Kings Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1465A Flatbush Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11210. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: KNOX KBPO LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/19/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE, SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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Name: SAMHOURY LLC Art. Of Org, Filed Sec. Of State of NY 05/17/2011. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. Chryssa Samhoury designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY to mail copy of process to THE LLC, 1317 76TH Street, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: Brklyn View Photography LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/07/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: Jaine M. Kershner 70 Clark Street Apartment 6A Brooklyn, NY 11201. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: LAMPERIO LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/23/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: NIELS MOELLER 103 HAVE-MEYER STREET BROOKLYN, NY 11211-4433. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: AFFLUENT CLOTHING COMPANY LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/02/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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process to: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: EAST 26TH PROPERTY LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/22/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE, SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228 Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: CANE COZIES LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/31/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: JIALU REALTY LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/10/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: THE LLC 81 CARLTON AVE BROOKLYN, NY 11205. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: SUPER DEALZ 247 LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on

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07/29/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: THE LLC 7503 NEW UTRECHT AVENUE BROOKLYN, NY 11214. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: JIALU REALTY LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/10/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: THE LLC 81 CARLTON AVE BROOKLYN, NY 11205. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: CANE COZIES LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/31/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: ZUPPI LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/13/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: THE LLC 195 PROSPECT PARK WEST APT #4D BROOKLYN, NY 11215. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: MENT VENTURES, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/25/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: MICHAEL TSAI 561 41ST STREET, APT 4E BROOKLYN, NY 11232. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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Notice of formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: RATRONIN STUDIOS, LLC Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/16/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: KEITH A. MILLER 344-A 19TH STREET, 1ST FLR BROOKLYN, NY 11215 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. BG-6X 8/4, 11, 18, 25, 9/1, 8, 2011.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: KRYS-TAL CLEAR GRAPHIC DESIGNER LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/18/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228. Purpose: Graphic Designer

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: 1 OF A KIND HOME HEALTH CARE L.L.C. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/01/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of

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process to: THE LLC 148 GEORGE STREET 1ST FLOOR BROOKLYN, NY 11237. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: GOCEN HOLDINGS, LLC. Application for Authority was filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/21/11. The LLC was originally filed with the Secretary of State of Florida on 04/08/11. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Thomas R. Sawyer II, 1400 East Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 102, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33334. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: A.J.F. ENTERPRISES L.L.C.. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/27/11. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Andrew Flitt, 531 Clinton Street, Brooklyn, New York 11231. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 338 FAMILY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/23/11. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2071. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 880 68th Street, Apartment 2C, Brooklyn, New York 11220. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: MOTT STREET BAKING COMPANY, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/13/10. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 7605 12th Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11228. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: CURVACEOUS K LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/22/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: KATHLEEN SANCHEZ 135 PROSPECT PARK, SW Apt. F5 BROOKLYN, NY 11218. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 79 EAGLE REALTY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/28/11. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 854 Humboldt Street, Brooklyn, New York 11222. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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Notice of formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: JACK'S HAIRSTYLING FOR MEN, LLC Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/08/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: THE LLC 1139

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: ACME BICYCLE COMPANY, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/07/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: THE LLC 353 3RD STREET, APT 4B BROOKLYN, NY 11215. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: JENNIFER BANDES INTEGRATIVE CONSULTING LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/16/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: FOCUS PRIVATE INVESTIGATIONS, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/24/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: THE LLC 189 S C H E R M E R H O R N STREET SUITE 3-N BROOKLYN, NY 11201. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: NYC PEDALS LLC. Articles of Organization filed with

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Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/02/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: THE LLC 377 SOUTH 4TH STREET BROOKLYN, NY 11211. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: MICHAEL GRANVILLE ARCHITECT, PLLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/28/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: MICHAEL EDWIN GRANVILLE 189 8TH AVENUE, #3-L BROOKLYN, NY 11215. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: SWEET ANOINTINGS LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/17/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: KATHY WALKER 675 MONROE STREET BROOKLYN, NY 11221. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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Notice of formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: Project Fathom, LLC Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York on May 21, 2009. NY Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE, SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. BG-6X 7/21, 28, 8/4, 11, 18, 25, 2011.

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Notice of formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: TODAVIA LLC Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/11/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O NICHOLAS SCHREIBER 24 DUNHAM PLACE #2C BROOKLYN, NY 11211 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. BG-6X 7/14, 21, 28, 8/4, 11, 18, 2011.

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Notice of formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: POUR WINES & LIQUORS LLC Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/31/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: THE LLC 1707 BROADWAY BROOKLYN, NY 11207 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. BG-6X7/14, 21, 28, 8/4, 11, 18, 2011.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: AMANACORE LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/11/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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Notice of Formation of Osborn Design, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 6/23/11. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to

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the principal business address: 37 Greenpoint Ave., #A3B, Brooklyn, NY 11222. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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Notice of formation of limited liability company. NAME: 756 McDONALD LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 09/17/10. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 765 McDonald Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11218. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. BG 6X-7/21, 28, 8/4, 11, 8, 25 2011.

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Notice of formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: JABOR LLC Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/31/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: THE LLC 949 EAST 99TH STREET BROOKLYN, NY 11236 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. BG-6X 7/21, 28, 8/4, 11, 18, 25, 2011.

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Notice of Formation of OMEGA PHARMACY GROUP LLC, a domestic LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/06/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Sahaj Patel, 106 Graham Ave, Brooklyn, NY 11206. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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Notice of Formation of West 122nd St Owner LLC. Arts. of Org. filed Secy. of State of NY (SSNY): 6/24/11. Off. loc.: Kings Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

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SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1465A Flatbush Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11210. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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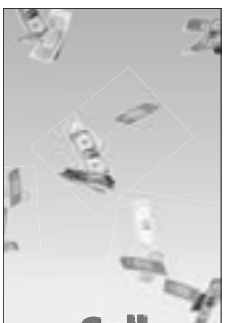
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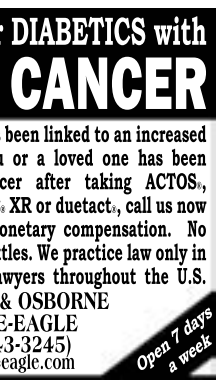
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10116 4th Ave. #21B
(Shore Rd)

1000 sq ft mint condition, renovated split-level 2 bdrm/2 bath co-op w/prvt patio & terrace. S.S applis. Storage. Pet friendly. Walk to R train, restaurants. \$389,000



**BAY RIDGE (Prime)
OPEN HOUSE
SUNDAY 8/21**

1-3 PM

454 74th STREET
(Btwn 4th & 5th Aves)

Ultra-modern 1 family, 8 rm duplex with 4 bdrms & full finished basement with sep ent & 3/4 bath. Granite kitchen with open deck to big backyard. Lot 20x92, House 20x40. Near all conveniences. Asking \$729,000

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SUNDAY 1-3 PM
2049 65th ST.
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THURS 5-7:30 PM
SAT-SUN 12-4 PM**
7620 BAY PKWY
(77th St)

Luxury meets affordable. 6 story elevated condo. 2-3 bdrm/2 bath, balcs/terr. Custom kit & jac. baths, hwd flrs, prvt storage, indoor parking. Roof top deck w/view of NYC & Verazano. \$499,000-649,000



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2801 E. 11 St. Apt 7A & 7B
Magnificent 3 Bdrm Penthouse
Call Anna-718-732-3899 x 8014

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444 E. 58th St Apt 1B
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Asking \$500K
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Finished basement, great investment
PRICE REDUCED

2FAM - Marine Park (x 8001)

2 Bdrs over 3Bdrm Duplex
Coyle St. & Ave U, Asking \$500's

2FAM - Mill Basin (x 8001)

3 Bdrm Duplex Over 2 Bdrms
Prime Mill Basin, Price Reduced!

1FAM - B. Beach (x 8001)

Beautiful Det, 3Bdrms Dupx, 3 Baths,
Full Fin., Bsm, Prime Location

1 Fam - Belle Harbor (x 8001)

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1st Floor coop, 2Bed +1Bedroom apt.
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1Bdr - S.Head Bay (x 8001)

Studio converted to 1 bdrm, coop
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Close to Ocean Pkwy, Mid \$100's

1Bdr - B. Beach (x 8003)

1 Bd, Coop, Can rent from Day 1
Pet friendly, Asking \$169K

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**Bergen Beach
Sun 8/21st, 1-3 pm**
2024 East 67th St
(Ave T/Ave U)

Renovated 1 family s/d
3 bdrm duplex, 2.5
baths, cherrywood &
granite eat in kitchen
with stainless steel ap-
pliances, parquet flrs,
fin bsmt W/ hospitality
suite & separate en-
trance, garage &
driveway, \$500's
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**CANARSIE
Sun. 8/21, 1-3PM**
662 East 85 st
PRICE REDUCTION!

Beautiful detached brick 2
Fam. 3 beds over 3 beds.
updated EIK & bath, LR,
DR, new Andersen win-
dows, basement all re-
done W/granite flrs, cen-
tral Air, Private drive.
many Extras! Mint
condition!
Asking Low \$600's
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HOME SALES**

**Gerritsen Bch Open Hse
SUNDAY 8/21
From 1-4 PM**
61 BARTLETT PL.
(Frank Ct & Noel Ave)
WATERFRONT

1.5 lots, 7 yr yng custom
brick, det 2 fam, 4 over 4.5,
2BRs each, 2 new kits &
baths & state of the art
htng sys in both apts. Prvt
drv, new docks for 2 boats.
**Drastically Reduced
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**Brooklyn Hts Open Hse
SAT. 8/20, 12-2 PM**
70 CLARK STREET

Nice studio co-op in heart
of B'klyn Hts. Hdwd flrs,
new kitch & bathrm. Dining
area & office area. Bldg
has intercom sys & door-
man. Can sublease after 2
yrs. 20% down pay req'd,
maint \$551.04/mo incl wa-
ter, sewer, fire insur, taxes,
heat. A Must See!! \$309K.
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**FLATLANDS
2 OPEN HOUSES**

**SUNDAY 8/21
11-1 & 4-6 PM**

**1312 E.35th ST
(Kings Hwy & Ave L)**
Totally renovated det
1 family w/ prvt drv,
3BR duplex, hwd flrs,
large fin bsmt. Vacant
\$500's.

By Owner
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**Canarsie
2 OPEN HOUSES
THURS. 8/18, 5-8PM
SUN. 8/21, 3-6PM**
15 Paerdegat 11 St
(Paerdegat Ave & 80th)

Unbelievable, totally renov
2 fam brick split-lvl. 6BRs,
2 granite island kit, parq
flrs, 5 marble bths (jacuz-
zi) laundry rm, 20x20 fin
bsmt, 2 car garage, 2 new
boilers & 2 new HW htrs.
Vacant. Only \$20K down.

Call Owner
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**Georgetown
Open House
SAT, AUG. 20th, 1-3pm
MON, AUG. 22nd, 6-8pm**

1230 East 70th Street
Extra large semi-det
4000 sq. ft. legal 2 family
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**Gerritsen Beach
OPEN HOUSE
SUN. 8/21 From 1-4 PM**
12 CYRUS AVE.
(Btwn Madoc & Noel)

NEW TO MARKET!
Double Lot, 1 fam, 9 rms,
4BR duplex, EIK w/ tiled
island, FDR, 2 bths & stor-
age attic. New roof & htng
unit. Det 2 car gar w/ prvt
drv. Asking \$529,000

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**BENSONHURST
SAT. SUN. 1-3**

1561 West 5th St. #3A
(bet. Ave. O & P)
Beautifully updated 3BR
& 2 bth Condo, HW flrs,
tax abated ASK \$425K.
718-332-8800 FIN 107011

**CANARSIE
SUN. 12-2**

1119 East 103rd Street
(bet. Ave. K and L)
NEW ON MARKET -
Brick 2 family, 3 bedroom
duplex over 2 bedroom
plus two bedroom in
basement. Mint condi-
tion. Community drive
in back. Wood floors
throughout; 4 yr old roof.
Owner ready. All offers
considered.
718-922-2200 FIN 108044

**CANARSIE
SUN. 2-4**

246 East 86th St. (bet.
Ditmas Ave. and Ave. B)
SHORT SALE Brick
1 family, great starter
home. 2 BR duplex with
guess room in base-
ment. New kitchen with
granite countertop. All
new appliances and new
bath. Pvt Drive. Close
Foster Ave. BJ Whole-
sale mall
718-922-2200 FIN 108015

**CANARSIE
SUN. 2:30-4:30**

1148 East 98th Street
(bet. Flatlands & J)
MINT Legal 2 Family ful-
ly detached 3/3 updated
kitchen & baths. Semi-
finished basement. Two
car garage with parking
for TWO additional cars.
Lot 120 x 33
718-922-2200 FIN 108008

**CANARSIE
SUN. 2-5**

9418 Avenue J (bet. E.
94 & 95 St.)
Canarsie most desir-
able CUSTOM built
high Hampshire semi
attached 1 family 3
LARGE bedrooms + du-
plex + Large living room
+ Formal dining room
+ New Eat in Kitchen
plus finished basement
& 1 car garage with
pvt driveway! New roof
(4yrs) + tile + backyard
+ ceramic tile & much
more! Nothing to do but
move in! Will not last!!!
Priced right!!
718-922-2200 FIN 108052

**CANARSIE
SAT. 2-4**

8614 Avenue L #401
and 8616 Ave. L #301
(bet. E. 86 & 87 St.)
Short sale - present ANY
offers! Rochelle Garden
1 bedroom condo -
Owning is cheaper than
renting! Laundry hook
up! Pets allowed! Will
not last! Great condition!
Low Common Charges!
Owner is very motivated!
Unit includes parking
and garage! We have
keys! Buy with only 1%
down Monthly payment
only \$817.30 fixed for 30
years YES you own it!
718-922-2200 FIN 108025

**CANARSIE
SAT. 12-2**

553 East 80th St.
(bet. Foster Ave. &
Farragut Road)
OWN CHEAPER THAN
RENTING! INCOME
PRODUCER!!!
Brick CUSTOMIZE 2
family totally redone
from high ranch conv. to
Dplx 3 bedroom duplex
+ HUGE Jacuzzi &
Sauna + 3 bath + private
backyard. Studio apt +
full bath & 3 bedroom
apt. with 1 1/2 bath & large
living room & formal din-
ing room. Private Drive
& balcony! New boiler &
much more! Owner must
sell! Asking \$5,400 down
on contract ASKING
LOW \$500's (Quality
buyers)
718-922-2200 FIN 008124

**CANARSIE
SAT. 11-12:30**

10819 Seaview Avenue
Unit#
(bet. Seaview Ave. &
East 108th St.)
WHY RENT IF YOU
CAN OWN?? Immacu-
late Newly Renovated
Studio Unit, 409 Sq. Ft.
With New Carpeting and
Appliances and Cabine-
ts! Common Charges
only \$194.49, Included
Gym, Pool, Tennis court,
Gated community, Private
security & camera,
Laundry and More!
Parking #131 Cc \$37.52.
We Have Keys!
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**CANARSIE
SAT. SUN. 2-4**

1168 East 104th St.
(Ave. L/Ave. K)
2 Family Brick, 2 Bed-
room, 1 Bedroom Ranch
W/Backyard, Garage,
Owners Apt Completely
Renovated. Asking
\$389,000
718-272-6666 FIN 102026

**CANARSIE
SUN. 1-2:30**

1461 East 91 Street
(Ave. L/Ave. M)
1 Fam Detached Duplex,
4 Bedroom/Fin. Bsmt,
30x100 Pvt Drive &
Garage, Mint!
718-272-6666 FIN 002029

**CANARSIE
SUN. 2:30-4**

1351 E. 101 Street
(Ave. M/Ave. N)
1 Fam Det Waxman Split
Level, Gorgeous Wood
Floors, Vaulted
Ceilings, Grotto Like
Backyard, 3-4 Car Park-
ing, Mint!
718-272-6666 FIN 002038

**DITMAS PARK
SUN. 1-3**

1116 Beverly Road
Located on Drs. Row,
This magnificent Victo-
rian Home boasts old
world charm complete
with turrets stain glass
windows and Oak floor-
ing throughout. Perfect
for Mother/Daughter with
an additional hospital-
ity suite. A corner
property surrounded by
lush green gardens and
plenty of sunshine. Close
to Houses of Worship,
Shopping and Transpor-
tation. Too much to men-
tion. PRICE REDUCED
\$1,125,000
718-253-4040 FIN 101018

**EAST NEW YORK
SUN. 2-4**

849 Cleveland St.
(Hegeman/Linden)
2 Fam Brick, 6 Bedroom
Hardwood Floors, Ga-
rage & Parking w/Lovely
Pool, Full Fin Bsmt.
718-272-6666 FIN 102038

**EAST FLATBUSH
SAT. 1-3**

SUN. 2-4
492 East 35th Street
1 fam. 4 bedroom
duplex, hardwood floors.
spacious yard. A definite
must see!
718-253-9600 FIN 119053

**FLATBUSH CO-OP
SAT. 12-2**

740 East 32nd St.
(Apt. G5) Amazing one
BR one bath unit, 750
Sq. feet, Huge living
space, oak strip hdwd
flrs, ample closet spaces
and a king size BR unit.
Close to transit and the
#4 & 5 trains. Maint. is
only \$460. A MUST SEE
Asking \$169K
718-368-3200 FIN 118016

**GATEWAY
SUN. 2-4**

400 Cozine Avenue
Unit # 7L (Bet: Jerome
& Elton St) Meadow-
wood at Gateway most
desirable 2 BR + huge
LR & FDR + Huge EIK
with granite & SS ap-
plis & W/D. Wall to wall
closet space & patio with
scenic view! Min. to all
shpng, new park & more!
Best priced 2 BR on
market! Asking only low
\$200's FHA, Sonyma &
many grants Available!!!
718-922-2200 FIN 108047

**GEORGETOWN
SAT. SUN. 2-4**

1445 Royce Street
(Unit # 3D) (bet. Ave.
T & S) Most desirable 2
BR dup. Mill Harbor new-
ly built gated community
Condo! Huge EIK + S/S
applis, Lg. LR + FDR &
patio & 2 bths & 2 BR +
Jacuzzi in MBR! Laundry
rm, C/A, Granite & much
more! Club rm incl. with
gym, billiard rm, library,
Sauna, Swimming pool
& much more! Unit incl.
1 parking! Tax abated,
FHA & Sonyma Ap-
proved! Best PRICED
Don't miss out!
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**GEORGETOWN
SAT. SUN. 2-4**

1093 East 72 St. # 14
(bet. Ave. K & Ralph
Ave.) Georgetown Most
Desirable Condo 2 Bed
BR (939 Sq Ft) on 1st
Flr with lg LR + FDR &
Huge EIK + Laundry
Area + 1 1/4 bth with
Balcony! Gar. & Drvwy
Incl. Cc \$32.98 Month
& R.E Taxes \$483.83
Per Yr. Condo Unit Cc \$
268.73 Month & R.E Tax
\$483.82 Yr. Estate Sale -
Sold As Is! Will Not Last
- Priced For Quick Sale!
Great Cond!!! Asking
\$200's
718-922-2200 FIN 108048

**GEORGETOWN
SUN. 2-4**

1110 E. 73 St. #28
(Ave. J/Ave. K)
Condo 3 Bedroom
Duplex, Wood Floors,
Updated Eat In Kitchen
w/Stainless Appliances,
2.5 Bath, Backyard Patio
& 1 Car Garage, Wow!
718-272-6666 FIN 102012

**MADISON/
MARINE PARK
SUN. 12-2**

2966 Avenue S
1 fam brick tudor w/
detached Garage, 2
fireplaces, sunken living
room, New kitchen &
baths, finished base-
ment. Full of Charm
718-907-1103 FIN 126034

**MARINE PARK
SUN. 3-5**

2162 Gerritsen Ave.
(Bragg & Ave. U)
Extra Wide Large 2 Fam-
ily Brick House, Garage
In Front, Spacious Yard
In Rear. Vacant, Close In
30 Days
718-368-3200 FIN 118020

**MARINE PARK
SUN. 1-3**

2134 East 36th Street
Check out this all brick 2
family with private drive,
garage, spacious yard,
just 2 blocks from park.
Come, see & compare!
718-253-9600 FIN 119034

**MARINE PARK
CONDO
SUN. 12-2**

2301 Gerritsen Avenue,
3G
Gorgeous! New to the
market! 3 bedroom.
Condo, 2 baths. Spa-
cious & sunny, all new,
priced to sell!
718-253-9600 FIN 119055

**MARINE PARK
CO-OPS
SUN. 12:30-2:30**

2251 Knapp Street,
Apt. # 2A &
2270 Plumb 1st St.
Apt. #1C
2 Newly listed 3 bed-
room. co-ops, spacious
bright & airy. Price Re-
duced for quick sale!
718-253-9600
FINS 019065 & 119031

**OLD MILL BASIN
SUN. 1:30-3:30**

1339 East 54th St.
WOW! Completely
Renov. 2 Fam., from
head to toe! NEW kits.
NEW Walls, polished wd
flrs. Internal stairs-Great
for Mother/Daughter-
Exits to the bkzyd on two
flrs. Balcony from main
apt-pvt. Driveway and
garage or den.
718-253-4040 FIN 101047

**SHEEPSHEAD
BAY
SUN. 12-2**

2308 East 21st St. (Bet
Neck Rd. & Ave. W)
SD 1 fam dup, 3 BR,
MIC, lg yd shared Drive
Ask \$599K
718-332-8800 FIN 107023

**SHEEPSHEAD
BAY
SUN. 2-3:30PM**

4816 Bedford Ave #1A
(Bet. Emmons Ave. &
Shore Pkwy)
Condo By the Water, 2
BR, 2 bth, w/park, walk
to the Beach, close to
Trans & Shop, low maint,
low tax Ask \$409K .
718-332-8800 FIN 007080

**SHEEPSHEAD
BAY
SUN. 1-3PM**

2213 East 21 St.
(Bet Ave. U & V)
1 Fam, SD, 3 BR, Dup,
EIK, fin base, shar drive,
walk to all! ASK \$550K
718-332-8800 FIN 107059

**SHEEPSHEAD
BAY
SUN. 1-3PM**

2190 Brigham St. # 6F
(bet. Ave. U & V)
Coop, 3 BR 1 bth, kit w/
wind, maint incl. G & E,
needs TLC! ASK \$169K
718-332-8800 FIN 107042

**SHEEPSHEAD
BAY
SUN. 3-5**

2775 Brown Street
Apt 2C (Shore Pkwy)
PRICE REDUCED!!
Ready for LUXURY???
Look no further ... this
spac. 2 BR/2 bath condo
was newly built in 2006,
and has many mod.
amenities, incl. a built-in
W/D and htd bamboo
flrs. There are 10 years
remaining on the tax
abatement. Private park-
ing spot and storage unit
include.
718-368-3200 FIN 018022

**SHEEPSHEAD
BAY
SUN. 12-2PM**

2800 Coyle St.
Apt. # 621
No Board Approval
Required For This
Beautifully Renovated 1
Bedroom Coop Apart-
ment with Terrace and
Water Views! Large
Rooms, Plenty Of Closet
Space, Parquet Floors,
Custom Made Bath-
room, Low Maintenance.
Luxury Building With
Gym, Laundry, Elevator
And Garage, Excellent
Location,
718-368-3200 FIN 118021

**FLATBUSH
SAT. SUN. 12-2:30**

6905 Ave. M
The home has all new
stainless steel applianc-
es, full basement with a
PVT Driveway for 2 cars,
custom wood moldings,
Anderson windows, new
boiler, storage in attic,
large back and front
yards. The basement
has washer and dryer
hookup. Approve Short
Sale.
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room + formal dining
room + eat in kitchen + 2
baths + HVAC + Parking
(Sep) + Roof Top enter-
tainment + 24 hour Gym
+ Laundry room! Door-
man & Elevator Building!
FHA Approved! Tax
Abated!! Only \$3,490.00
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month 30 years FIXED
mortgage 3.5% & 3.5%
APR (Quality Buyers)

FLATBUSH
Det. ranch 1 FAM with 3
Bedroom (Can be 4) +
living room, formal dining
room and eat in kitchen
+ finished basement with
master bedroom with 3/4
bath & extra guest bed-
room! Parking & Huge
backyard! Will not last!
Asking LOW \$300's
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Sun. 8/21 12-3PM

9 Post Court

By The Beach- Expanded Ranch, 1 Fam, det, 4 bdrms, Lg Liv Rm, EIK, FDR
REDUCED TO \$349,000

106 Frank Court

Rare Gerritsen Beach 2 family, detached, 3 bdrms over 2 bdrms. Move In Condition.
Asking \$379,000

9 JOVAL COURT

Double Lot, new section 1 family det 4 bdrms, 2 baths, full bsmt, large yard, 2 car garage, and driveway.
ASKING \$400'S

D. Greenwood R.E.

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MADISON

2 OPEN HOUSES

THURS. 8/18, 5-8PM
& SUN. 8/21, 3-7PM

2162 E.27th ST.
(Btwn Aves U&V)

OWNER MUST SELL \$459,000

Totally renovated brick 2 BR duplex w/ 3 baths, parquet floors, granite kitch, fin bsmt, garage.

By Owner
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► BROOKLYN OPEN HOUSE

Marine Park Open House

SUNDAY 8/21
2-4 PM

1878 RYDER ST

Det 1 Fam 3 BR Duplex! LRG LR, FDR, EIK & Fin Basement w/ Bath! Excellent Condition! Det Garage & Deck! Asking \$539K.
Ref. #2437

MadisonEstates

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► BROOKLYN OPEN HOUSE

MILL BASIN

OPEN HOUSE

SUN, AUG. 21, 1-3PM
301 Mayfair Drive N.

"1 Family Extended" Dover Split 60x100, All Updated with Euro-style Kitchen, Stainless Steel Appl's & Custom Porcelain Tile Flr, Formal LR & DR, Parquet Floors, Inground Granite Htd Pool, Garage.



718-968-4444

► BROOKLYN OPEN HOUSE

MILL BASIN

Sun Aug 21st, 1-3 pm
2732 Mill Ave

National Drive

All vacant 2 fam 6.5 rm duplex W/3 huge bdrms, new kit, 1.5 baths, large LR, DR, parquet flrs, sun-deck off kit over a large 4.5 rm rental W/1 full bath & EIK, fin bsmt with sep entrance, all updated baths, \$600's, owner listening to all offers!

Talk of The Town
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► BROOKLYN OPEN HOUSE

Sheepshd Bay/Marine Pk
OPEN HOUSE
SUN. 8/21, 1-4 PM
2251 KNAPP ST, #2C

1 BR, 1 Bath 700 sq ft Co-op, new EIK w/window, LR, 4 closets, foyer, new carpeting & paint thruout, walk to shopping, transp & houses of worship.
Reduced \$105,000.

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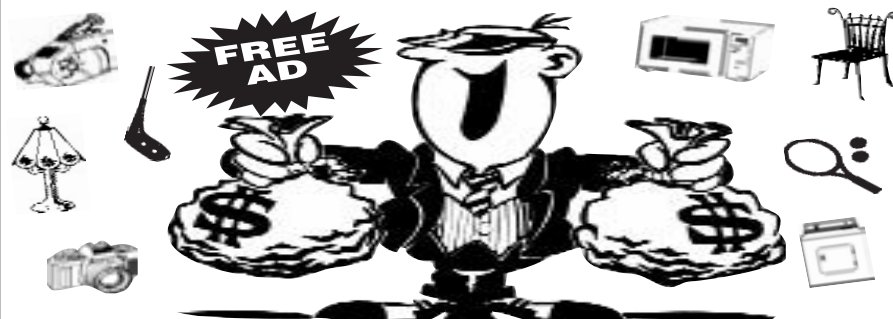
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