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BY WILL BREDDERMAN

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He's big and he screeches

Beloved Courier Life columnist Carmine "Big Screecher" Santa Maria and his lovely wife Sharon oversaw the Bensonhurst West End Community Council's annual awards ceremony on April 11. **For even more Carmine, see page 26 and 30.**

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RIDGE ROUGH RIDE

92nd St. sinkhole still not fixed

BY WILL BREDDERMAN

Ten months later, the sinkhole is filled, but life nearby is still deep in a hole.

Residents of 92nd Street between Third Avenue and Ridge Boulevard say street construction continues to wreak havoc with their lives nearly a year after a 50-foot sinkhole opened on one end of the block last June.

Neighbors complain that ongoing roadwork has turned their street into a dusty, deeply rutted disaster area, and that the contractors shut the block off to traffic without warning, and park equipment in front of their driveways.

"I leave, I come back, and my driveway's blocked off, and they're set up and working," said Denise Vento. "It would be nice to be notified when they're closing the street, it would be nice to be notified when there's going to be no parking."

Plus — rubbing dirt in the wound — the Department of Sanitation has stopped cleaning the street, allowing filth to pile up on the sidewalk.

"When a car comes down here, the dust goes 40, 50 feet in the air," complained longtime resident Michael Carey. "I've lived on this block since 1963, and this is the

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BEEP'S LAST STAND-UP

Markowitz turns to comedy in his final state of the borough address

BY JAIME LUTZ

Look out Jimmy Kimmel — Borough President Markowitz is coming for your job.

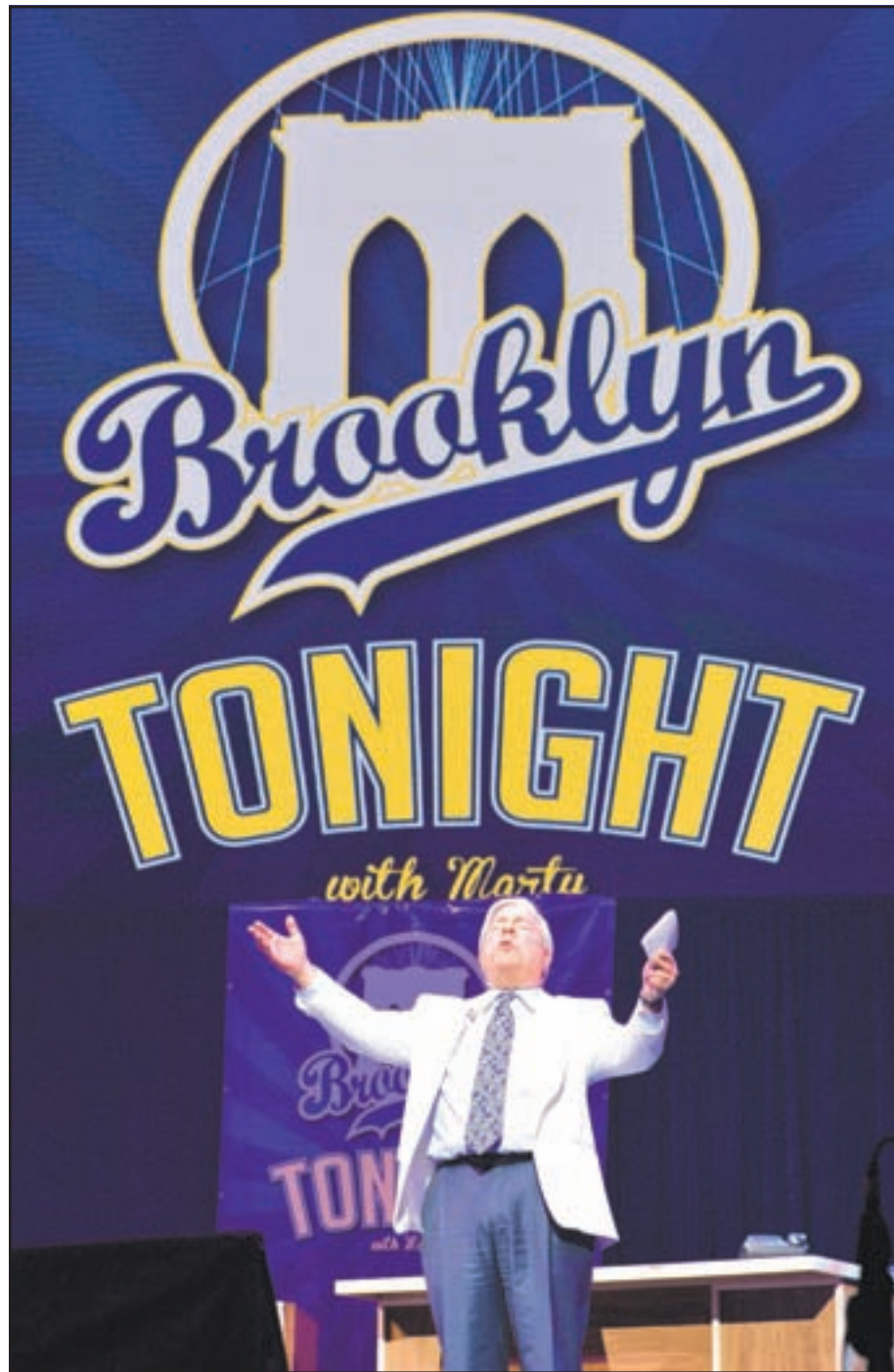
Markowitz used his final state of the borough speech to ask a question frequently whispered these days in Brooklyn political circles: what will the Beep do come 2014, when he is no longer the Beep?

Faux-struggling to answer that riddle, Markowitz put on a white jacket, changed the stadium floor of the Barclays Center to resemble a TV studio, and hosted his very own late night talk show during his last annual address, complete with “celebrity” guests including Stoop Talk’s Cat Greenleaf, Brooklyn Brewery founder Steve Hindy, and NY1’s Pat Kiernan, going so far as to put on a Carnac the Magnificent routine (turban included).

The politician-turned-late-night showman riffed on diversity in Brooklyn — “you have the young people, the hipsters, and the old people, the artificial hipsters!” — and his support of gay marriage — “I believe love is love, unless you love the Knicks. Then you’ll burn in hell.”

Brooklyn-bred actor Tony Danza, a recurring state of the borough attendee, took on the role of musical guest when he rapped about famous Brooklynites: “Folks born in Brooklyn that you might know / here’s a bunch of famous people from my favorite borough.”

Council speaker and mayoral candidate Chris-



MR. BROOKLYN: Out-going Borough President Markowitz, who is rumored to be eying the television talk show circuit, put on a show at his last state of the borough address at the Barclays Center.

Photo by Paul Martinka

tine Quinn sang a song in the Beep’s honor — a horribly off-key version of “How Do You Solve a Problem Like Maria,” changed to “How Do You Solve the Problem of Losing Marty?”

Markowitz’s chief of staff Jon Paul Lupo, who was master of ceremonies, told her to keep her day job.

There were even, at one point, indoor fireworks.

The address was mostly bereft of actual news, besides the formal, but previously reported announcement of the most-recent incarnation of the Beep’s passion project: the construction of a Coney Island amphitheater that will serve as a permanent home to Markowitz’s long-running summer concert series (see page 3).

But the address was more of a victory lap for the Beep, who has served in this role since 2001 and headed the borough during a time of astonishing metamorphosis that saw condos rise, Downtown transform, Williamsburg boom, and big league sports return to the borough.

Not for nothing did Markowitz—a huge booster of the Atlantic Yards project that brought the Nets to Brooklyn — choose to deliver his address in the Barclays Center.

“A special thank you to ‘cousin Bruce,’ as I affectionately call Bruce Ratner, the CEO of Forest City Ratner,” Markowitz said of the stadium’s developer, before calling the Barclays Center “America’s most beautiful arena.”



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Boro's arch angels

China has a gift for Sunset Park's Chinese community

BY JAIME LUTZ

Meet Sunset Park's newest Chinese immigrant.

Beijing's Chaoyang District is donating a special arch to Sunset Park's Little Fuzhou — America's fourth largest Chinatown and the largest in New York City (take that, Manhattan).

"Beautifying our streets doesn't mean just adding more green," said Borough President Markowitz as he unveiled the planned paifang at his final state of the borough address last Thursday.

Markowitz said in his address that the street-crossing architecture — dubbed the "Friendship Archway" — was the success of Paul Mak, the president of the Brooklyn Chinese-American Association, and Winnie Greco, Borough Hall's Chinese liaison.

A rendering of the arch shows the design



WELCOME TO CHINATOWN: A rendering of a proposed Sunset Park arch, celebrating Brooklyn's Chinatown. Courtesy of Borough President's office

spanning Eighth Avenue between 64th and 65th streets. The proposed arch will have nine roofs and four pillars, as is frequently used in imperial Bei-

jing structures, according to the Beep's press office.

Markowitz is still working out the details with City Hall and Assemblyman Peter Ab-

bate (D-Borough Park), he said.

A spokesman for the Beep said that he couldn't add any additional information at this time.



In 2008, Marty announced his dream to illuminate Coney Island's Parachute Jump — with company from ex-Gov. Spitzer and Council speaker and current mayoral hopeful Christine Quinn. File photo

The state of the state of the borough

Borough President Markowitz gave his final state of the borough address last week — capping off three terms of memorable, Brooklyn-boosting and entertainment-packed speeches. Here are some highlights from the Beep's famous Marty Parties:



In Markowitz's 2005 state of the borough address, Brooklyn-born actor Tony Danza jumped on stage for a riff about cruise ships. In his 2011 speech, he rode in on an adult-sized tricycle to mock what he called the city's "anti-car" activism. File photos



In his 2004 address, Markowitz focused on the plan to move the New Jersey Nets to Brooklyn — and got a show of support from Sen. Chuck Schumer, who lives in Park Slope. This year, Marty channeled late-night talk show host Johnny Carson with his interpretation of "Carnac the Magnificent." File photo

Coney relic will become new amphitheater

BY WILL BREDDERMAN AND JAIME LUTZ

Borough President Markowitz revealed his new dream for a Coney Island amphitheater at his final state of the borough address, bringing new life to the legendary Childs Restaurant and giving a permanent home to his long-running Seaside Summer Concert series.

Out is the controversial "potato chip" plan in Asser Levy Park. In is a new proposal with private developer iStar Financial that calls for building the 5,000-seat performance space in a part of the Childs Restaurant space on *Continued on Page 14*



ON THE BOARDWALK: Borough President Markowitz wants to turn the shuttered Childs Restaurant building and an adjoining lot into his passion project: a Coney Island amphitheater. Photo by Steve Solomonson

Kid chess kings

Students bring home national honors

BY COLIN MIXSON AND NATALIE MUSUMECI

They don't call it the game of Kings for nothing. Two teams of Brooklyn youngsters have brought national honors to Kings County — one restoring former glory, and another

achieving greatness for the very first time.

The Edward R. Murrow High School chess team has done it again, pwning the competition and bringing home the school's eighth national title after a three-day battle in Nashville, Tenn.,

their first national championship since 2007.

Meanwhile, Park Slope's PS/MS 282's chess team won its first national championship ever at the same competition — the United States Chess Federation's fifth Super Nationals — against thousands of the country's shrewdest young chess players.

"I founded the chess team and I've coached it throughout, and this is one of the strongest teams I've ever had," said Murrow chess coach Eliot Weiss, who has helmed the team since 1981. "They're great kids, focused, and they know how to win the big game."

The Midwood school's chess team earned the moniker "Kings of New York" after bringing home seven national titles between 1992 and 2007. But this year's checkmate teammates are



GRAND MASTERS: Chess Players Austin Tang (left), Anita Maksiuk, and other champs from the Edward R. Murrow High School Chess Team haven't stopped practicing since taking home a Super National title on April 7. Photo by Steve Solomonson



CHECKMATES: Park Slope's Royal Panthers chess team of PS 282 won first place at the Super Nationals Chess Tournament in Nashville, Tenn., last Sunday. Courtesy of PS 282

global royalty, representing as many countries as it has players, with 10 players all born in 10 different countries — from Russia to Jamaica, Poland to Pakistan, and of course, the good ol' USA.

Team captain Alex Oscrovskiy, 17, was two-years-old when he first learned how to arrange the pieces on a chess board, and grew up e-mailing chess moves in online games with his grandfather in Moscow after immigrating from the old country. "Chess has played a

huge part in my life," said Oscrovskiy, who scored third overall in the country and the best on his team. "But after these three crazy days, I'm just happy to go back to the real world."

Three crazy days indeed, for this was no mere national championship — the Super Nationals are a quadrennial event more sacred to young chess players than the Olympics to world-class shot putters, because it comes only once in a high school player's career.

"This year we played Super Nationals, and it felt pretty good bringing home the trophy," said Paraguayan junior Alexis Paredes, 16, a master of chess and understatement. "It's just huge and any team can compete."

Now, with the tournament behind them, their post-win celebration at Dave and Busters a fond memory, and classes now in session, the champs still have one more thing to hope for — a trip to the White House.

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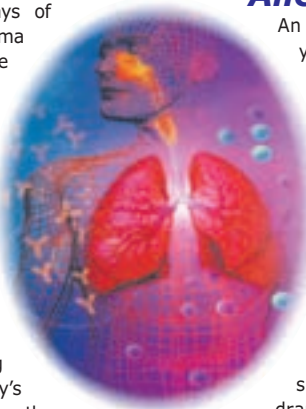
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Greens: Sparrows not cars!

BY COLIN MIXSON

The long-awaited move of a Canarsie auto mall to a shopping plaza bordering Mill Basin wetlands is finally underway, but locals say the plan is a lemon.

The city has finalized its sale of a 110,000-square-foot parcel along Flatbush Avenue near Toys 'R' Us and the Four Sparrows Marshland, marking the end of a two-year process to expand the Kristal Auto Mall, but environmentalists say that the last thing the city needs to do after Hurricane Sandy is pave its coastal wetlands.

"The city should be ashamed of itself," said Ida Sanoff, executive director of the Natural Resource Protective Association. "If we learned one thing in Sandy, it's how important open space is in preventing flooding. If you look at the Jamaica Bay area, the areas that were vegetated sustained less flood damage than areas that were developed."

The Kristal Auto Mall in Canarsie is the largest minority-owned car dealership in the city, and its development of the new facility, just south of Kings Plaza, is expected to

cost \$30 million and generate 80 construction jobs, according to a spokesman for the New York City Economic Development Corporation.

As stipulated in his agreement with the city, Kristal Auto Mall owner Sammy Bical has to build new parking spots to replace those his facility will gobble up from the big box toy retailer, and Sanoff says that extra pavement is going to cause floods in the future.

"If you think there's not going to be more floods, then you have another thing com-

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CARS 'R' COMING: The Flatbush Avenue Toys 'R' Us in Mill Basin will be getting a new neighbor soon, following the city's sale of an adjacent 110,000-square-foot parcel of land to Kristal Auto Mall owner Sammy Bical. File photo by Paul Martinka

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Classic Carvel is scoop of history

Family-owned ice cream parlor keeps iconic franchise look in Sheepshead Bay

BY COLIN MIXSON

Some things never change.

These days, if you're looking for a scoop of Carvel's iconic soft-serve ice cream, your best bet is to head into a crowded shopping mall and keep your eyes peeled for a modest stall amidst the bustling retail hubbub.

The mall will certainly offer air-conditioned relief from the summer swelter, and that ice cream outlet will probably offer the same Carvel treats doled out to eager young tots ever since Tom Carvel's ice cream truck popped a flat on a fated, Memorial Day weekend in 1934, creating the first immobile Carvel ice cream shop.

But there's something lacking in those stripped-down, streamlined Carvel kiosks, a subtle absence of a sight once indivisible from New England's cityscapes of their natural habitat — something which, in the County of Kings, can only be found at the southern end of Coney Island Avenue.

There, nestled between Avenues X and Y in Sheepshead Bay stands a distinctive sloping building with a gleaming steel facade and a pink awning advertising, "Carvel" — a unique design, protected by several design patents covering the "building and the distinctive appurtenances thereto," which once characterized every Carvel franchise in the country.

"We're the last old-time Carvel left in Brooklyn," said Pat Aceto, who took over operations at the family-owned franchise after his father retired. "You can find Carvels all over the city, mostly in shopping malls, but we're the only one with the old storefront you used to see during the '50s."

That cool metal and glass front, with the roof sloping gently down towards the back, a relic — a frozen slice of Americana that's grown ever more uncommon as Carvel outlets slim down and economize.

But the architecture isn't the only draw to the Sheepshead Bay ice cream parlor. This franchise has been family owned since it opened nearly six decades ago, and its reigning patriarch is an ice cream man through and through.

"There's vanilla syrup running through my veins," said Aceto, before stopping to think. "Actually, it might be chocolate."

Pat's father Stephen dropped out of college after Stephen's father Pasquale lost an eye in a carpentry accident in 1954 and opened the ice cream franchise to support his family. The Aceto clan literally built the business from scratch — Stephen helped with the construction of the iconic ice cream parlor, overseen by the cool, one-eyed gaze of papa Pasquale.

One of Stephen's first hires was an attractive girl named Ann, and it wasn't long before the young, raven-haired ice cream swirler became a part of the family.

"She was one of his first employees. They weren't married when she started, but they fell in love over flying saucers," Aceto joked.

And Aceto had hardly learned his letters before his father had him cleaning out the freezers at age 8, and by 14 he was working full-time behind the counter.

That family touch can make all the difference, especially when the heat is on.

After Hurricane Sandy, power went out across Brooklyn, and the Aceto Carvel was in danger of becoming a lake of sticky sugar as the freezers died. Fortunately they were able to clean out the shop — with a little help from the neighborhood, of course.

"We were bagging everything up, running up to random cars and giving our ice cream to people," Aceto explained. "We told them to text their friends to come down and get ice cream. Before you know it, we had a line out the door and the ice cream was gone that day."



A SCOOP OF THE PAST: Ann Aceto and her son Pat pose in front of the last old-time Carvel in Brooklyn, which their family has owned since it opened in 1954. Below, Ann holds a picture of herself serving ice cream at the parlor 59 years ago. Photos by Arthur De Gaeta

Since his father opened the store 59 years ago, not much has changed. There's still a sale almost every day, there's still a smiling Aceto family member behind the counter, and of course, there's still Cookie Puss and Fudgie the Whale.

Everything is pretty much the way it was when Stephen first opened shop — except the sizes.

"Everything's gotten bigger!" Ann Aceto exclaimed.

Aceto's Carvel is handing out free cones on April 25, so its the perfect time to head down and check out the classic scoop of Americana.

Get a free cone at Carvel [2744 Coney Island Ave. between Avenues X and Y in Sheepshead Bay, (718) 934-8173] April 25, 11 am-6 pm.

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Windows crashed

A punk smashed the passenger-side window of a car parked on Seventh Avenue and made off with the swag inside on April 8, police report.

The victim told cops he left his car between 63rd and 64th streets at 1 pm and came back 25 minutes later to see the window busted and a global positioning system and a designer bag missing from the back.

Empty-handed escape

Two crooks invaded an 11th Avenue apartment on April 11, but left without taking a thing, authorities allege.

The building owner said her son pulled up to the property between 74th and 75th streets at 4:25 pm and saw the male-female pair heading out the front door. When the young man went inside, he found a length of pipe next to a broken-in door — but noticed nothing had been taken.

Jackpot

A punk ripped off thousands in cash and jewelry from a 77th Street home on April 12, cops claim.

The victim said he left his home between 12th and 13th avenues at 10:15 am to go to the hardware store. When he opened his front door again at 12:30 pm, he felt a breeze coming from inside, and called out his son's name.

A loud bang sounded in response, and the victim fled in fear, then dialed 911. On returning to the scene, he saw that a burglar had pried open his back door and stolen \$1,000 in cash, a diamond ring, and a jade pendant.

Dark room antics

A lowlife swiped four cameras from a 72nd Street gallery on April 6, according to cops.

The victim said she had some 50 people at the art space between Third and Fourth avenues for a 7 pm exhibition. When she checked one of her cabinets 20 minutes into the show, she saw the photography equipment was gone. There was no security footage.

Great train robbery

A gun-toting villain held up a man for his iPhone and duffel bag aboard a Manhattan-bound N train on April 12, cops say.

The victim said he got on the subway at the Stillwell Avenue station on Surf Av-

enue at 2 am and immediately passed out. When he awoke, he was nearing the Eighth Avenue stop — and a fiend was standing over him, demanding his belongings. The victim initially refused, but the crook pulled a black firearm and ordered him to hand over his bag and mobile device.

This time, the drowsy passenger complied, and gave up the gadget and the duffel — with his clothes, shoes, and phone charger inside. The scoundrel got off at the station at the corner of 62nd Street.

Less than Bliss-full

A fiend lifted a gym bag packed with valuables from a car parked on Bliss Terrace on April 13, police state.

The victim said he left his vehicle on the peaceful court off 68th Street at 3:30 pm and returned at 8 pm to see his designer bag with his name-brand wallet, shoes, clothes, sunglasses, identification, and \$5 in change missing.

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Tag team

Two brutes held a woman down and took her purse on 69th Street on April 7, police report.

The victim said she was walking between 16th and 17th avenues at 8:10 pm when the pair of perps seized her and rifled through her pockets before snatching her bag. When the woman demanded her pocketbook back, one of the punks told he would punch her if she cried out. The duo then fled in an unknown direction.

Walk on the wild side

Three thugs cut up a young man on 82nd Street on April 9, according to cops.

The victim told police he was near 21st Avenue on his way home from his girlfriend's house at 1:35 am when one of the lowlifes ran up from behind him and sliced his face open with an unknown object.

Another one of the terrible trio took his wallet, and the threesome then fled toward 20th Avenue.

Gym rat

A crook stole a woman's wallet from her locker at an 86th Street fitness facility on April 8, cops claim.

The victim said she locked her belongings in her cubby at the sports club near the corner of 24th Avenue at noon and went to work out. When she came back later, the lock and her billfold were gone.

— *Will Bredderman*

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OPENING DAY: Players from the Huskies Little League team suited up for the annual Opening Day parade on April 6 in Park Slope. Photo by Elizabeth Graham

Automall

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ing,” said Sanoff. “If they’re building more parking, they’re taking over more park space at a time when people are more worried about flooding than ever.”

Back in 2011, before Community Board 18 gave the auto mall’s expansion its blessing, members of NYC Audubon showed up at hearings in an attempt to block the development from the Four Sparrows Marshland, which pro-

vides a home for four types of sparrows that require an undisturbed marshland for nesting. Audubon members claim toxins flowing into the marsh from the auto lot will destroy the nesting space, and birds will kill themselves by flying into the building’s huge bay windows.

“About 90,000 birds die in New York City from collisions with glass,” said Susan Elbin, the Director of Conservation and Science at NYC Audubon. “Any kind of construction development there will have to

be bird friendly.”

But not everyone’s upset to see Kristal Auto Mall’s expansion, and Borough President Markowitz praised everyone involved in making the project happen.

“Bravo to EDC led by President — and Brooklynite — Seth Pinsky, Councilman Lew Fidler and to Sammy Bical and Bical Development for their perseverance in ensuring that this project will further enhance the Flatbush Avenue gateway into southern Brooklyn,” said Markowitz.

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Golden's friendly fire

Unnamed scandal figure could be Brooklyn GOP head

BY WILL BREDDERMAN

State Sen. Marty Golden is demanding the outing of a shadowy unnamed figure in the Smith-Halloran scandal — who could very well be his old ally, Brooklyn Republican Party chairman Craig Eaton.

Golden (R-Bay Ridge) penned a letter to United States Attorney Preet Bharara asking him to release the name of the mysterious “County Chairman #1” mentioned in the complaint against state Sen. Malcolm Smith (D-Queens) and Councilman Dan Halloran (R-Staten Island) — who stand accused of attempting to bribe three GOP borough chairmen into letting Smith run for mayor as a Republican.

Golden said the identification and resignation of “County Chairman #1” was a necessary service to members of the Republican



CHAIR FIGHT: Brooklyn Republican boss Craig Eaton (left) and state Sen. Marty Golden appear to be in a battle for control of the borough's Republican Party.

Photo by Steve Solomonson

Party — despite the fact that the anonymous figure is not accused of accepting bribes and was not arrested in the April 2 bust.

“This is about cleaning house,” said Golden. “Somebody should have been smart enough to stop those conversations, somebody should have been smart enough to call the U.S. Attorney's office. We're not going to put up with people

who are going to sell our party or not act in a responsible way.”

But the man behind the curtain could be Golden's fellow Bay Ridge resident, former Community Board 10 chairman, and current Kings County GOP chairman Craig Eaton — long aligned with Golden against a rival faction of Bensonhurst Republicans and the rebellious Brooklyn Young

Republican Club.

The complaint states that on Nov. 16, 2012, Smith met with an undercover agent posing as a wealthy real estate developer and a “cooperating witness” — now known to be Assemblyman Nelson Castro (D-Bronx) — and discussed the possibility of getting “County Chairman #1” to back Smith for mayor instead of another candidate the chairman had already publicly endorsed.

Eaton said on Nov. 13, 2012 that he was supporting former Bronx Borough President Adolfo Carrion — another Democrat — as the Republican candidate for the title of hizzoner. By contrast, Manhattan chairman Dan Isaacs and Queens chairman Phil Ragusa endorsed supermarket mogul John Catsimatidis in Jan. 2013.

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Kids have the summer of their lives at Aviator Camps

BY CAMILLE SPERRAZZA

Who's ready for summer?

Aviator Camps at the Aviator Sports and Event Center is ready for you to register your children for an exciting summer camp experience.

Activities are designed to develop leadership qualities, self-confidence, moral character, vital social skills, and healthy living habits, says Jason Fuller, Youth Programs Director. Campers will also learn about the environment, culture and arts, and sports.

“Our dedicated and highly trained staff will ensure each camper a safe and fulfilling summer experience,” he says.

- Adventure Camp is for ages 5 to 13. Children will enjoy activities such as gymnastics, swimming, rock climbing, arts and crafts, and field trips.

- Aviator Camp at the Aviator Sports and Event Center has a 35-foot high indoor rock climbing wall, among the tallest in New York City.

- Gymnastics Camp, for ages 5 to 13, will emphasize balancing, stretching, tumbling, and the trampoline.

- Skate Instruction Camp, for



Summer Camp kids cool down in the water, and fly high with Aviator's harness and trampoline.

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- ages 5 to 13, will focus on developing ice skating skills.

- Sports and Fitness Camp, for ages 5 to 13, concentrates on instruction in basketball, soccer, volleyball, and flag football.

- Dance Camp for ages 7 to 13 will teach students a variety of dance skills.

- Theater Camp for ages 5 to 13 will instruct in theater arts, and includes a live performance.

- There's a Junior Camp for youngsters age 3 to 5, too.

The goal is to provide fun and learning, through diverse experiences, says Fuller. The camps are housed at the Aviator Sports and Event Center — 175,000 square feet of indoor events, athletics, and recreation space. The facility is magnificent, with all the latest equipment to keep your child entertained all summer.

The outdoor space is huge, too, and has hosts festivals, fairs, concerts, and community events. The Kings County Fair will take place there from May 16 to 27. There will be rides and games for children of all ages, including a Ferris wheel, roller coaster, and kiddie rides. Food will include corn dogs, cotton candy, and funnel cakes.

“People from all over Brooklyn come to the fair,” says Jaclyn Muns, Marketing Director. “They come from Long Island and Westchester, too.”

When the fair is over, Aviator Sports and Events Center will host New York City's largest Native American Celebration, from Friday, June 1 through Sunday, June 3. There will be singers, dancers, artists, and educational presenters. Participants can experience the jewelry, crafts, and food created by Native Americans from across the Americas, Muns says.

Aviator Sports and Events Center is the perfect place to celebrate a unique birthday party. Kids can enjoy a Rock Climbing Party, Pool Party, Ice Skating Party, or a Gymnastics Party.

Included in the Pool Party, for example, are pizza or hot dogs, bal-

loons, table cloths, invitations, paper goods, utensils, and a gift certificate for every participant. You can also customize your party, as you desire, by adding an outdoor barbecue picnic with burgers, hot dogs, French fries, corn on the cob, potato salad, coleslaw, and watermelon. Yet another package includes baby back ribs, barbecue chicken, pasta salad, and lots more.

There are after school programs for children, too.

But it's not only kids who get to enjoy the fun. Adults can celebrate special occasions at the Aviator Sports and Events Center, too, and there are activities for them as well.

Aviator Camps at the Aviator Sports and Event Center [3159 Flatbush Ave. at Floyd Bennett Field in Marine Park, (718) 758-7500, www.AviatorCamps.com, www.AviatorSports.com]. For information about the camps, call Mondays through Fridays, 11 am-6 pm. The Sports and Event Center: Mondays through Fridays, 5:30 am-12 am; and Saturdays and Sundays, 6 am-12 am.

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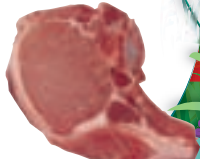
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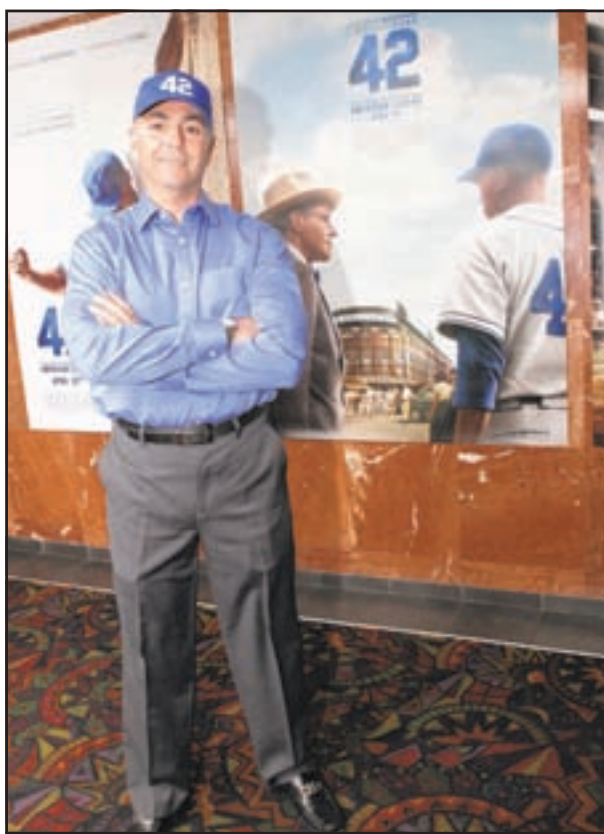
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MR. MET: (Above) Beloved Mets Hall of Fame pitcher John Franco regaled an audience of 200 Brooklyn youths with stories of his career at Regal Theater on Jackie Robinson Day. (Center) kids hang out with Franco and baseball legend Terry McFarlin. (Right) Gravesend ball player Meir Page, 15, tosses a ball at the free screening of the new flick, "42: The Jackie Robinson Story."

Photos by Steve Solomonson



Celebrating Jackie Robinson

BY COLIN MIXSON

The folks at MCU stadium, working with the Coney Island Cyclones, treated 200 kids from Brooklyn Youth groups to a free screening of "42: The Jackie Robinson Story," at the Sheepshead Bay Regal Theater on — you guessed it — Jackie Robinson Day, but not before they we regaled with stories from hometown heroes, Mets Hall of

Fame pitcher John Franco, and former pro baseball player Terry McFarlin.

"They gave a speech in front of the movie, and were telling us to work hard and how you can never give up if you want to succeed and make it to the majors, you just can't quit," said 15-year-old ball player Meir Page, who plays for the Warriors.

Jackie Robinson, the first black Major League Baseball

player in America, made his major league debut on April 15, 1947, slugging balls for the Brooklyn Dodgers.

And what better way to commemorate his achievements than with the box-office hit about his life.

Page said his favorite part was when one of Robinson's white colleagues stood up in his defense against an obnoxious heckler calling out from the stands.

"Yeah it was a good movie, I really liked it," said Page. "My favorite part was when Jackie would go out to bat and this red neck guy taunted him, and one of his teammates came out and stuck up for him. That was the best."

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BY DANIELLE FURFARO

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The little green line that never suffers the indignity of entering Manhattan gained nearly 2,000 riders per weekday in 2012, a passenger increase of 4.2 percent that dwarfs all other routes, according to new Metropolitan Transportation Authority statistics.

Riders of the Brooklyn Local say the data proves service increases are necessary along the line, where commuters recently won a hard-fought battle to make a five-stop extension in Park Slope, Windsor Terrace, and Kensington permanent.

"The MTA's new numbers show what G train riders already know. These trains are overcrowded," said John Raskin of the strap-hanger



G FOR GLUTTED: The G train gained more riders last year than every other subway in the city. Photos by Stefano Giovannini

group Riders Alliance. "We need more of them."

The G now offers one-seat service between North and Brownstone Brooklyns — but at a price, riders say.

"It can be really crowded when the service is irregular, and that happens a lot," said Alexis Saba, who lives off the Clinton-Washington stop.

Last year, complaints

about long waits, crowded trains, and poor signage grew louder than a subway car with the window open as commuters, activists including the Riders Alliance, and politicians demanded improvements on the G line. The MTA initially said service was fine and ridership numbers on the line did not warrant changes, but in January the agency reversed course and said it would consider G line alterations. In February, authorities launched a line review, intended to be completed by this summer.

MTA spokesman Kevin Ortiz said the agency will consider the growing ridership — but only so much.

"Total ridership is only one of the elements we use to determine levels of service," said Ortiz. "The last time we looked at ridership trends, the level of service on the G was sufficient, but we will continue to analyze."



Whose light is it, anyway?

Pedestrians Veronica Poliakov and Ifrat Syeda were left scratching their heads by this traffic signal, which should have been facing 86th Street, but was instead pointed toward 23rd Avenue, and was giving all the wrong signals on April 12. A Department of Transportation spokesperson said the light was turned in the right direction on April 16.

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Willie Sutton Goes To Cyprus

By Dr. Stephen Finger

Willie Sutton was a notorious American bank robber.

When asked why he robbed banks, he answered with a phrase that has become part of the American Lexicon as well as of the oath taken upon graduation by law school students everywhere, i.e., "That's where the money is."

Cyprus is an island nation in the Mediterranean Sea and is a member of the European Union. Like many other members of that proud organization [Proud of what? Nobody knows.], the government of Cyprus recently discovered that money does not, in fact, grow on fig trees,

"Dimitrius, my fellow Minister. We will have to give up our fine villas, our cars. Hummus will no longer flow in the rivers. What will we do?"

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Coney

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the Boardwalk and an adjoining lot — and reopening the landmarked building as an eatery.

The announcement was cause for applause among People's Playground nostalgia buffs, who hoped to see the majestic restaurant-turned-abandoned warehouse — which, in recent years, served as home to Coney Island USA's Mermaid Ball and Lola Star's Dreamland Roller Rink before safety concerns forced them to vacate — restored to its early 20th century glory.

"It will really become the bookend for the amusement area, and it's good to see the amusement area extended that far into the west end of the neighborhood," said Charles Denson, founder of the Coney Island History project on W. 12th Street, adding that the stately structure has long provoked visitors' curiosity. "There's always

two questions when people come into the History Project: 'where's the bathroom' and 'what's that building out on the Boardwalk?' Everybody wants to know what it is. It's like some ancient ruin."

Denson said he hoped the plans would involve the beautification of the building's distinctive terracotta medallions and its marble columns.

The Childs Restaurants chain was "the Applebee's of its day" in Denson's words, but instead of calorie-bomb artichoke dip and faux-American kitsch, the cafeteria-style eateries were known for their dairy-heavy menu and gasp-worthy architecture. The first location opened in the Financial District in 1889, and the Boardwalk spot started serving milk-laden fare in 1923. At its peak, the company had 125 locations across America — including the spot at the corner of W. 12th Street and Surf Avenue that is now the site of unofficial Coney mayor

Dick Zigun's Sideshows by the Seashore.

Opponents of the Beep's passion project got Markowitz's Asser Levy Park plan nixed after a judge ruled the decades-old concert series violated the city's restraining order on amplified music near houses of worship. The Beep moved the concerts to a lot on W. 21st Street, but clung to his amphitheater dream.

"I've got one more thing on my agenda," the beep told members of the Alliance for Coney Island business group in December 2012. "We will have an amphitheater!"

Markowitz — who leaves office next January — said his partner in the venture will be iStar Financial, a lender that notably filed to foreclose on the skyline-redefining Madison Park One building in Manhattan in 2009.

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Sal: Don't pull the plug!

Mayoral hopeful calls for moratorium on hospital closures

BY WILL BREDDERMAN

Brooklyn's healthcare situation is in critical condition — but mayoral candidate Sal Albanese says he would be the cure.

The former councilman from Bay Ridge condemned the plague of hospital closings that threatens to claim Long Island College Hospital, and promised that as mayor he would call for a moratorium on medical facility shutdowns — and to keep LICH on life support until a remedy can be found.

“The healthcare safety net is cracking,” Albanese warned. “I would go in and provide some help, some advice, and possibly some emergency funding.”

The hizzoner hopeful admitted that keeping LICH alive is outside the legal powers of the mayor, but Albanese claimed he could use the office's prestige to pressure the governor into keep-



ing the hospital's financial feeding tube attached — unlike Mayor Bloomberg, who has not touched the issue with a 10-foot caduceus.

“You have the bully pulpit as the mayor. You have

the ability to make people listen,” Albanese argued. “I'm going to go to the governor and say 'let's not go through with this until we have a gameplan about how we're going to provide medical care to people in Brooklyn Heights and Carroll Gardens and Red Hook.’”

The sextarian candidate claimed that LICH is vital to the health of the area, and denounced the secretive discussions to sell the facility to real estate developers.

“We don't need more condos in Brooklyn Heights. We need a hospital,” said Albanese. “We're dealing with people's lives here. A couple of minutes can result in a tragedy when there's an emergency situation.”

The contender for Gracie Mansion has previously demonstrated against LICH's closure, alongside other candidates, residents, and hospital employees — who recently filed a lawsuit claiming that the state's unrestrained power to close hospitals is unconstitutional.

GOP fight

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and former Staten Island chairman Robert Scamardella indicated that he would back Joe Lhota that same month, then

resigned his post in February. Then-Bronx GOP head Joseph Savino was arrested for his involvement in the scandal and is mentioned by name in the complaint.

Golden said he personally had no suspects for

“County Chairman #1,” and seemed surprised when confronted with the strong possibility that the man in question was Eaton, acknowledging their history as allies.

Eaton declined to comment for this story.

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Tall toilets rile residents

BY COLIN MIXSON

The battle of the bathroom rages on.

Residents of the Oceana Condominiums in Brighton Beach took to the Boardwalk once again on Sunday to protest against the city's plans to build a high-rise, flood-resistant bathroom on the beach in front of their luxury abodes, where they pay top dollar for their view of the ocean — not a latrine.

"Mayor Bloomberg, how would you like a three-story public toilet in front of your residence in Stokes Bay?" read the sign of Oceana resident Anna Natkovich.

The turnout was better than last time, with around 300 residents hailing not only from Oceana, but from the Seacoast Towers Apartments located at nearby Brightwater Avenue, where many residents were upset to hear that \$5 million was being spent on the city's towering toilet project, while not a dime has gone towards repairing children's play-



BATHROOM BATTLE: Residents of Oceana Condominiums protest on the Boardwalk for a second time on Sunday, railing against a 20-foot-tall bathroom the city is building, which they say will spoil their view of the ocean.

Photo by Stefano Giovannini

grounds that were destroyed during Hurricane Sandy.

"I have my potty at home, I want a playground," read the sign carried by Piotr Oudolsky.

Joining the angry condo residents were several pols, including Democratic District Leader Ari Kagan (D-Sheepshead Bay) and state Assemblyman Steve Cymbrowitz (D-Manhattan Beach), and former state

Sen. David Storobin.

Cymbrowitz in particular has been vocal in the fight to have the bathroom project removed to a different location, roughly 50 feet to the west, at the foot of Coney Island Avenue, and has alleged in a letter to borough Parks Commissioner Kevin Jeffries that the city is in violation of its own stipulation, put in affect before the condo was built,

that it should have an unobstructed view of the ocean.

"The new facility would affect the quality of life of Oceana residents in a negative and permanent way," the assemblyman's letter reads. "It also contradicts the original mandate expressed by the City Planning Commission that the vista be left unimpeded between the Oceana complex and the water."

Last Friday, courts granted Oceana the temporary restraining order they've been seeking, thus stalling the bathroom's construction for a week, and giving Oceana's lawyers time to prepare a case against the city, according to Oceana resident Boris Natkovich.

They allege that the city either bungled or fudged its obligation to provide notice about the project by placing an ad in a newspaper — not in the legal notice section, but the classifieds — stating that the high-rise loo would be in Coney Island, not in Brighton Beach.

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SHINE A LIGHT: Light artists showed Brooklyn's solidarity with Boston by making this projection on the side of the Brooklyn Academy of Music on Monday night. *Courtesy Lucky Tran, the Illuminator collective*

Brooklyn reacts to Boston tragedy

BY NATALIE MUSUMECI

Brooklyn runners were shocked and saddened by the bombings that rocked their sport at its most prestigious event on Monday.

Many borough joggers tore their attention away from television news for their customary evening runs, but their thoughts remained on the tragedy at the Boston Marathon, reportedly responsible for at least three deaths and more than 180 injuries.

"I won't be able to forget this," said Park Slope runner and 2004 Boston Marathon participant Radu Simon during a workout in Prospect Park.

The deadly explosions made running an after-

thought on the sport's biggest day: unlike the popular ING New York City Marathon, or the nascent Brooklyn Marathon, the majority of Boston Marathon entrants earn their spots by logging fast times at other races, meaning the 26.2-mile course is the highest aspiration for many distance runners.

"It's terrible — it's so tragic," said Prospect Heights runner Leah Ratner. "The Boston Marathon is a huge deal."

The North Brooklyn Runners Club and the Prospect Park Track Club said all of their participating members were safe in posts on Twitter, but members of the racing groups were shaken by the attacks.

"I can't even put into words how heartbreaking this is," Prospect Park Track Club member Jess Yeomans wrote on her blog. "My thoughts and prayers are with Boston and our running community."

Some runners said the attack will make them reconsider major races.

"I'm going to think twice before entering a marathon now or doing any kind of high visibility events," said Simon.

Others found solace in running itself.

"Running is one of the best freedoms I have ever known, so I'm going to stop gawking now and go run in Brooklyn while thinking about Boston," tweeted Sarah Hromack.

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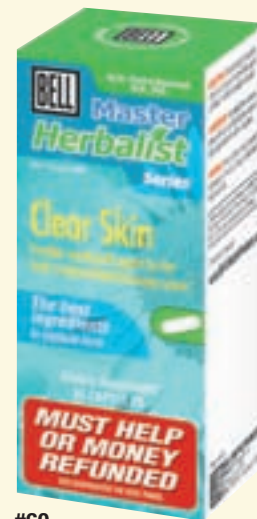
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Free fun for kids at Floyd Bennett

BY COLIN MIXSON

You can't always go to Disney, but sometimes Disney comes to you.

Brooklyn tots flocked to the Aviator Sports and Recreation Center at Floyd Bennett Field for the entertainment complex's free Spring Facility Fun Day on Saturday, and while the weather wasn't quite like sunny Florida, the folks from Radio Disney made it out anyway to provide some fun and games for Kings County's kids.

"They had a ball," said Bertha Dear, who came down with the grandkids from Flatbush. "I would definitely come back."

Aviator's recreation experts were on hand Saturday with all manner of sports amenities, including volleyball nets, basketball hoops, and lacrosse sticks to keep the kids warmed up on the nippy Spring afternoon.

"It was definitely on the cool side," said Dear, referring to the weather. "But the kids were too busy playing volleyball to notice."

Meanwhile, Radio Disney staff kept busy putting new spins on classic games, including musical chairs with a hula hoop twist.



FUN IN THE SUN: Five-year-old Jayda Dear of Flatbush got to practice her volleyball skills on Saturday outside the Aviator Sports and Recreation Center during its Spring Facility Fun Day event.

Photo by Steve Solomonson

"Radio Disney had their own set of games, including one with hula hoops, where they tried to go through the hoop before the music stopped," Dear explained.

Some lucky tots even got to go home with raffle prizes, including eight-

year-old Isabel Babayeva, who won a \$25 gift certificate she plans to spend on her favorite ride — the Sky Jump bungee ride.

"We're going to use it on the Sky Jump," said Isabel's mother, Lali. "She's a big fan."

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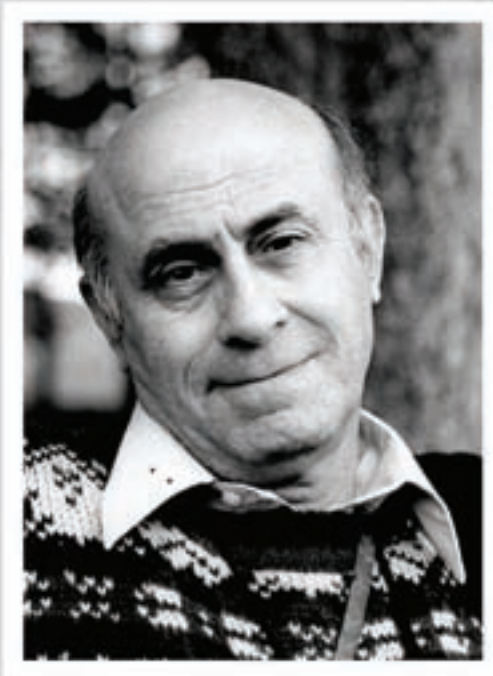


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Jay-Z to sell stake in Nets

BY COLIN MIXSON

Jay-Z's going to be "Big Pimpin'" some ballers, but first he has to get out of the Nets.

Brooklyn-born rap mogul Jay-Z has a plan in the works to sell off his share in the Brooklyn Nets — a conflict of interest that would prevent the record producer from obtaining the certificate he needs to play superagent for superstar sportsmen, reports the New York Post.

And if he wants to represent pro ballplayers before the NBA draft in June, he'll have to sell off his stake sooner rather than later. But his less-than-1-percent share made him more a Nets mascot than owner, anyway.

Last week, Jay-Z's Roc Nation Sports teamed up with Creative Artists Agency to set up his new, professional sports-management business and signed its first client, Yankee second baseman Robinson Cano.



PEACE OUT: Jay-Z will have only 98 problems once he unloads his stake in the Nets. Associated Press / Evan Agostini



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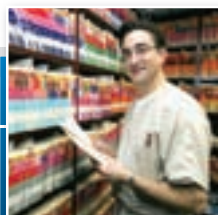
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Expectations Rise for Students *New era for teaching and testing*

CHANGES REFLECT PARENT CONCERNS

Scores will Reflect New Emphasis on College and Career over Basic Skills

There's something uncommon taking place in the city's public schools.

New York is implementing a far richer curriculum called Common Core. The lessons, and the exams that go hand in hand with them, have students writing more, thinking critically, defending their ideas, and working in teams to solve real-world problems.

The new coursework is harder, and the state exams students in grades 3-8 take this month will be different and more challenging, too. Test scores

will reflect that at first. But this year's scores will not be comparable to scores from previous years. This is a new baseline.

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Straight Talk from the Chancellor

Schools Chancellor Dennis Walcott responds to parents' questions

Why are my child's tests getting harder? As a parent, I'm tired of hearing that this is going to be great for my kid.

Let's be honest. Tougher tests aren't the problem. The real problem is that too many of our kids aren't prepared to succeed in college or flourish in a career. We're not doing them any favors if we don't challenge them. It's time we raised the bar.

The new curriculum demands that your kids engage their creativity and intellectual curiosity. The goal is

to take them beyond the pages of their textbooks and prepare them for the real world.

The new tests will reflect that richer—and more challenging—coursework. When you set a new goal for yourself that feels out of reach, you work harder to meet it. This will be no different. And that's a good thing.

Why am I hearing that my child's test scores are going to drop?

There's no way to know how your child will do until he or she takes the test. But we're now measuring based on completely different, and tougher, criteria. The last tests measured basic skills. The new tests measure your child's ability to get into college or learn a skill after high school graduation.

Some states that have adopted the Common Core have seen lower test scores of over 30 points at first. We have

set new benchmarks in the past and our students have always risen to meet them and we think that over time they will do the same with these new standards.

I'm struggling to support my children with their homework. How can I help my child master the more challenging coursework?

We get that. We've worked hard to develop vast parent resources for you. They include sample questions similar to those that your children can expect to see on the new state tests, and "webinars" that I've hosted which explain the transition to the Common Core (for more information, search *NYC.gov* for Common Core Parent Resources).

If your child is struggling and needs extra help, talk to his or her teacher or to your school's parent coordinator. It's a new era in teaching and testing. I'm committed to helping your child succeed.



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Grandmothers vie for pageant crown

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BY COLIN MIXSON

Brighton Beach's most venerable damsels vied for top honors at the Your Highness Grandmother beauty pageant and talent show at the National Restaurant on Sunday, where both Anna Malkina and Bella Blustin were named co-queens for their beauty and grace.

"Age is just a number," says Raisa Chernina, who founded the pageant. "Our grandmothers love life and they show us how to keep active and vibrant, regardless of age."

Your Highness Grandmother is held annually in Brighton Beach since its inception in 2002.

This year's contest was flush with colorful 19th century Russian garb, and winner Anna Malkina adorned a whole troop of dancers with vibrant costumes as she sang the traditional ode, "Moskva Zlatoglavaya," which translates — roughly — to "Golden Domes of Moscow."

"Some of it I bought, and



STILL GOT IT: (Above) Anna Malkina and Bella Blustin were named co-winners at the annual Your Highness Grandmother pageant on Sunday. (Below) Malkina recruited a troop of dancers for her bid, adorning them in colorful Russian gowns. Photos by Arthur De Gaeta



some of it I made myself," said Malkina, speaking of the traditional garb. "It was something my grandmother wore in the 1890s."

Among Malkina's lovely backups was Fira Stukelman, who celebrated her 80th birthday earlier this month, but certainly seemed spry on the dance floor.

"I am a dancer," said Stukelman. "Last week, I was 80 years old, and I celebrated my jubilee. I danced on my birthday, and I danced many different dances. I dance all my life. I love it."

And as much as Stukelman loves to dance, Malkina loves to sing. Aside from beauty pageants, she loves regaling both Russian and American audiences with her angelic voice.

"That's why I study English," said Malkina. "Sometimes I translate from English to Russian, and sometimes from Russian to English. I love to sing."

For all their hard work, sparkling crowns were

placed upon the winners' heads, and both were bestowed with trophies, bouquets, and other gifts.



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Natural balance turns the big 2-0

The Natural Balance Massage and Wellness Center celebrated 20 years in the Eastern healing business with a health fair at its Quentin Road location in Marine Park last Thursday, where employees doled out therapeutic massages and demonstrated healing techniques for the mind, body, and — last, but not least — the spirit.

"In holistic medicine there's no differentiation between the body and spirit," said Natural Balance owner Linda Camarda. "Your anatomy is connected to your emotions, which is connected to you spiritual well being, and that has to be taken into account."

A lot can change in 20 years and, in the case of Natural Balance, that's not a bad thing.

The Eastern healing



HEALTHY LIVING: Above, esthetician Rosalie Barreca-Carrieri gives a client tips on keeping her hands looking young. Center, reflexologist Marlene Price gives a man a top-notch foot rub. Right, Natural Balance Owner Linda Camarda with acupuncturist Dr. Shangda Zhai at the health fair.

center started out as a massage therapy clinic, and has since expanded to include yoga, pilates, aroma therapy, Qigong, skin care services, and something called craniosacral therapy, which increases the flow of sacrum fluid — always a good thing.

But Natural Balance isn't the only thing that has changed. Over the years, the Marine Park clients have become much more open to alternative techniques for achieving health and healing.

"When we first opened 20 years ago, most peo-

ple didn't really know or understand any of these services," said Camarda. "They figured massage was something for rich people, or athletes. But our clients have changed to become much more knowledgeable and savvy."

At Natural Balance's

20th anniversary health fair bash, visitors got a taste of the clinic's various healing practices, and also enjoyed free screenings, courtesy of local health care providers, including Coney Island Hospital and SUNY Downstate Medical Center, who pitched in to

draw a western crowd a little east.

"They came in and donated their time and services to help us do a kind of East-meets-West health fair event," said Camarda. "It was great, a really nice way to celebrate our 20th year in business."

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Reader: Run for 'liar' of the year, Anthony

To the editor,

I'm hearing a lot this week about the fact that Anthony Weiner is considering running for mayor. For those who don't know, Weiner was an aide to, and then successor to, Sen. Charles Schumer (D-N.Y.) when he was a congressman.

He was a wunderkind in city politics, but then resigned from Congress in the wake of a scandal when he tweeted salacious photos of himself with women who were not his wife.

All the pundits I'm hearing now are wondering if the public will forgive him for having sent those photos. I keep listening, wondering why I seem to be the only one who doesn't care that he sent those photos.

Seriously, they had nothing to do with his job, didn't affect his performance of his job, and aren't anything that millions of others don't do.

My problem with him, of which I haven't heard any discussion and which I think is potentially fatal to his come-back, is the fact that he lied. When first confronted with the photos, he said it wasn't him, he hadn't done it, his account had been hacked, it was a prank.

He did anything and everything to avoid taking responsibility for his act. That's my problem with Anthony Weiner — he's a liar.

I won't vote against him for sending pictures, but how do I know he won't lie the next time something uncomfortable comes up? That's the discussion I want to hear before I decide if he's a viable candidate.

Ian Randal Strock
Midwood

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To the editor,

Like any career politician, former Rep. Anthony Weiner just can't kick the habit of running for public office, this time around as a mayoral candidate.

The city will have a \$70 billion budget in fiscal year 2014, with more than 200,000 employees. This is greater than most states and many nations.

Weiner has never built a business, created jobs, met a payroll, balanced a multibillion dollar budget, or managed any significant agencies with large numbers of employees. His \$4 million dollar cam-

paign fund will never be enough to paper over his past scandals and lack of expertise to run the greatest city in the world.

Weiner is best suited to raising his child at home and staying out of trouble, while Mrs. Weiner remains at work continuing being the family bread winner.

Larry Penner
Great Neck, N.Y.

No tough gov

To the editor,

Gov. Cuomo's new anti-corruption initiative should include a proviso that any politician convicted of corruption should lose their pension.

The money would be donated to the Widows and Children's funds of the NYPD and NYFD. One ex-senator will collect \$68,000 a year after he serves his prison time.

A tidy sum. That's very sad.

Ugo M. Rosiello
Mill Basin

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To the editor,

You know the old saying, if you're seeing roaches during the day, boy, do you have a problem.

Well, you can just apply it to our elected officials who are running our communities and boroughs right into the ground.

It seems the only time our parties can be non-partisan is during acts of bribery and influence peddling. This latest batch of filth has proved that, but the bigger problem remains. If we are catching all of these brazen crooks in such high numbers, all of them are doing it. As I mount my grassroots campaign against the establishment and try to prove that a private sector citizen can still be elected to an office without bribing or political favoring, I am finding blockades at every turn I make.

Before I even began my interviews with the parties I was seeking endorsements from, my opponent was already telling members of the press he has all the endorsements of the GOP, Conservative and Independence parties all locked up.

Thanks to his boss, who he went to work for straight out of school, state Sen. Marty Golden (R-Bay Ridge) made phone calls to all the chairmen and the fix was in. Is this how we endorse potential candidates in the U.S.? Where are we? China? This is the inherent problem with our system. One man with that type of power breeds corruption and if you want to do anything about it you get iced out politically through the process. I am the candidate to change that.

This person I'm running against owes the senator his life. Do you honestly think he will ever write or vote against legislation that "King Marty" doesn't endorse? Of course not. For more than 10 years he's been hanging off of his appendage and would never betray the king. To hell with that! This is not the country my father came to for freedom and liberty back in the 1960s.

I pledge to begin the dismantling of this crooked and corrupt system as the anti-establishment candidate for City Council 2013.

Andy Sullivan
Bay Ridge

Shav 'on target'

To the editor,

Shavana Abruzzo is right on target in her column "Rioting disgraces Kiki's death" (A Britisher's View, Mar. 22).

Can somebody help me to understand why any group — whether in East Flatbush or any other part of the world — that is protesting against a government or government agency is justified in looting the stores of private business owners?

What do those business people have to do with what those people feel is an injustice to them? When I read about that happening, I can think of only one thing — they are thieves seizing upon an opportunity to steal. Those thieves have to be thankful that our police have been handcuffed by demagogues who go by the titles of politicians.

Haven't politicians noticed that these killers are shooting innocent women and children of color when they protest against the stop-and-frisk police policy?

Prior to my retirement, I was stopped three times by police on a train station to have my packages inspected by them. I readily complied because they were doing their job, protecting me from someone who may be hiding a weapon.

Ralph Perfetto
Bay Ridge

Hitler's evil

To the editor,

What Hitler did to Jewish people was horrible, no question about that ("New show honors Jewish Nazi hunter," It's Only My Opinion by Stanley Gershbein, Apr. 5). Nevertheless, I have a lot of problems with a lot I have read about the subject.

There were about 12 million people who died in the death camps, six million of them Jews. True, Jewish people were there just because they were Jewish, and that does make a difference. However, hu-

man beings are human beings.

In other words, if the Nazis sat around a table to kill one human being, Jewish or not, that would still be a plot to commit murder, so let's not get lost in the numbers.

I say this because Hitler's defenders use the numbers by saying stuff like, "It was not six million, it was only one million." Like, that makes it okay?

Another thing is that people do not understand that Hitler was going to kill off millions of other people after the war, but he was going to do it more slowly. There would be no death camps, but there were plans to depopulate whole nations, killing off millions of people.

People who think they would have been safe from ending up dead because they weren't Jewish need to really educate themselves about the plans Hitler had for just about everyone not German.

David Raisman
Bay Ridge

A-plus cheats

To the editor,

Surprise, surprise about another cheating scandal dealing with testing children in the public schools through out the country.

As far as I'm concerned this is another way to put all the blame on teachers as to why children can't pass these tests. How about looking at the economic background of these children? I'd bet if these same tests were given to adults many would not pass.

I always thought teachers were in the classroom to motivate their students to use his or her brains. To think and not rote memory.

The city will now make the tests even harder than before, and have admitted that the test scores will be even lower than before. You don't need to be a rocket scientist to figure that one out.

I wonder who comes up with this? I'll bet it isn't educators. It's like training principals to become principals who have never taught a class in the school system.

Why is burn-out of teachers three-to-five years? In many cases the support of teachers does not exist. But blame is the name of the game for teachers.

It makes no difference how much you pay the teachers, if they are not respected for all the time and effort they put into the classroom. The people who think it's easy to be a teacher should spend a week in a classroom, and then let's talk.

Jerry Sattler
Brighton Beach

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Some things Stan wanted to tell you

Here are more from the scraps of paper and backs of envelopes I found in my pockets before sending my jackets off to the dry cleaners.

There's something crazy going on. Our government borrows money and gives piles of it away to other countries. That's bad enough, but when some research is done we find that so many of the receiving countries don't even like us. In fact, most of them vote against us in the United Nations. Crazy? Would you borrow money and give it away to neighbors that don't like you? I wouldn't even borrow money to give it away to people that do like me.

How many times have we heard a woman say "I only turned for a second" when explaining the circumstances surrounding her purse getting stolen from a shopping cart. She walked up the aisle and left her cart behind while she selected a box of breakfast cereal. Usually, that one second is more like 15 or 20 seconds — more than enough time for a thief to pick up the pocketbook she left in the shopping cart. By the time she noticed it was missing, he was out the door. And when the police arrived, he was in a stall at a public restroom helping himself to whatever he thought was valuable.

OK, gang, question: how many times do you think a woman does that? The answer? Once. Just once and she'll never leave that cart unattended again.

There's an addendum to that situation. Do not assume that the thief is a man. We have all noticed females of all ages patrolling the aisles of supermarkets filling their carts as if they are really food shopping. Then, when the opportunity arises, it's bye-bye handbag.

The economic geniuses in Washington insist that the inflation rate is only 2.1 percent. Huh? It is obvious that the folks who came up with that number don't shop in the same supermarkets that the rest of us do. They



IT'S ONLY MY OPINION

Stanley P. Gershbein

respond with the flimsy excuse that because food and gasoline prices fluctuate, they are not to be included in the inflation rates. That's a crock. Food and gas go up a lot, but only manage to come down a little.

There's been lots of noise lately about the decrease in freedoms we enjoy here in the Empire State. There is one freedom that nobody seems to want to discuss ... the freedom to leave. Census figures tell us that New York State's population has decreased nine percent in the last decade. Every one of us can offer a list of reasons for leaving, be it the higher cost of living or the weather, but the one I found most interesting was the Tom Golisano decree of four years ago. If you don't recall Mr. G's motivation for relocating, e-mail me and I will forward to you a copy of his farewell to New York letter.

By the way, the population of the Great State of Texas is increasing by a thousand people a day. Governor Perry might be able to teach Governor Cuomo a few things.

Obviously, some folks don't think we laugh enough so they declared Thursday, April 19, Humorous Day. I am StanGershbein@Bell-south.net telling you to call your best friend to tell her a joke. A knock-knock joke, an elephant joke, anything. Just keep it clean and share a laugh.

Americans – always terror targets

The FBI claims to have foiled 53 terror plots against America since 9-11, but deadly pandemonium is just one successful terrorist attack away.

The Boston Marathon bombings are a sobering reminder that happy people enjoying freedom in the world's most liberated nation are the perpetual targets of bloodthirsty cowards, who live to murder innocent men, women, and children without regret.

They hatch their evil plots around the clock, unfailingly and unflinchingly.

As of this writing, three people were killed and nearly 200 were injured on a sunny Monday that bustled with the uplifting business of daily living in the Cradle of Liberty.

Anger and sorrow over loss of life and limbs were intensified with the horrific revelation that the youngest fatality was 8-year-old Martin Richard, whose excitement must have known no bounds as he waited eagerly to bear-hug his marathon-running dad when he crossed the finish line.

It is a small measure of comfort that the tragic lad's final thought likely brimmed with pride and happiness over watching his father achieve a Herculean feat of endurance.

No arrests were made at press



A BRITISHER'S VIEW

Shavana Abruzzo

time, but American investigators are experts in their field. It won't be long before they make a beeline for the culpable pond scum. Count on it.

Terror attacks have always been the bargaining chip of mankind's crud, but their deadly germination in modern times — more than 60 Islamo-fueled terror attacks have occurred around the world since January — can be laid near-squarely at the doorstep of jihadists, whose omnipresent threat cannot be ignored, denied, or under-investigated.

The Boston bombings — a pair of explosions seconds apart — certainly bear the hallmarks of an orchestrated attack from our sworn enemies. But U.S. might is an unbiased muscle, and U.S. law enforcers refused correctly to point any fingers until all the facts are in, showing lesser regimes how justice is sought in this civilized nation.

American authorities exercise caution to a fault. It is the better part of a valor system that naysayers, who are quick to balk at vital U.S. counter-

terrorism efforts, should acknowledge the next time they rush to judgement about racial profiling.

Terrorists have no problem unleashing their demons indiscriminately. Yet the Oval Office's response to the marathon bombings has been hugely disappointing.

No rage marked President Obama's national addresses. No anger-laced pledge to catch the perpetrators. No infuriation, period.

Our fearful leader offered, instead, a string of contrived condolences, diluting his grasp on a calamity that has become all too recurring. The attack was a deliberate, malicious, undeniable act of terrorism, but Obama had a problem calling it one. He waited until the next day to use the term, as if hoping for a sudden discovery that aliens had thundered the blows from outer space.

Maybe if the White House was less paranoid about confronting and calling out terror acts, then terrorists would think twice before committing their terrorism.

Obama replaced anger with awkwardness — and it showed at a time when America deserved stronger leadership.

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Vatican's mea culpa my left foot!

A few weeks ago I wrote about the new pope and his blowing a fresh new wind into the stuffy old traditions of the church. Well, it was short lived. According to an article in the Daily News, it seems that the new is actually the same old same old when you get right down to it. Basically the new fisherman wants the church to go out and worry about the poor and wretched in order to get back to Jesus.

And I got to say I don't agree. I think the church needs to get back to reality and face what it should have faced long ago, and then it can get back to Jesus and worrying about the poor and wretched.

And that reality is the big fat 3,000-pound gorilla that is sitting in the living room — yup, you guessed it — the abuse scandal. It isn't going to go away by itself. The Catholic community needs transparency before it can get any closure. And that means the Holy See has to Open Sesame the golden doors that have remained shut for far too long. It is time the Vatican let out the moths and clear the fetid air that has hid the scandal in white robes, trimmed in gold braid.

In order for a religion to survive,



NOT FOR NUTHIN'

Joanna DelBuono

it has to keep up with the times and its people. It also must practice what it preaches. No more mea culpas without a reality check. The Catholic community doesn't need any more rotting old corpses hiding out behind those gilded doors.

Pope Francis has to make a choice. Does he hide behind the same old tried-and-true dogma by reaching

out to the wretched and poor, or does he let the light shine on the reality of the scandal that has been the worm in this little apple in the Garden of Eden too long as it is?

I'm 100 percent sure that Papa Francis needs to oil up the barrels and come out shooting in order for him to have any validity among his flock and seeing the church through this whole pocked-marked treachery. He also has to accept some really hard truths. And that is in 2013 we are all literate, we can read, we can think and we have access to a world of information at our fingertips.

Let's cut the flimflam version, and hear the truth. It's the only thing that will set the church free.

The time for transparency is now. Not for Nuthin™, but the church can no longer hide the priests that committed the crimes, nor can it hide all its findings. Those reports need to be out and in the open, those priests need to be held accountable.

Then and only then can the Papa go out and reach all the wretched and poor he wants in order to get back to Jesus.

Follow me on Twitter @JDelBuono.

Carmine eats his way through cocktail hour

I'm madder than Popeye the sailor after Blutto or Brutus or whatever his name is picked a fight with him at the wrong time — two minutes after the bell rang ending a cocktail hour he attended at the El Caribe in Mill Basin, when he was so stuffed with delicious, non-spinach appetizers that he couldn't get his needed leafy dose into his gut at the necessary time, and subsequently took the beating of his life.



BIG SCREECHER
Carmine Santa Maria

Look, you all know that for weeks on end I've been touting my civic group BWECC's annual awards dinner at the aforementioned country club, and you may all be thinking to yourself, "Hey, this guy Carmine sure is swell for feting all these people," and also "Hey? How can I get feted by the Screecher?" All of these are reasonable things to think and question.

throw Brooklyn's best shindig every year is to make sure I get my fill at the illustrious cocktail hour so I can maintain my perfectly round physique.

But if you think for a second that this event is about making other people feel good, you've got another thing coming. Sure, I want everybody to be happy and excited, and I want to make sure my neighbors that do right by the community get the attention they deserve. But the real reason we

And with just 60 precious minutes to get as many bite-sized bites from the wall-to-wall-to-wall-to-wall stations into me as unhumanly possible, I have no time for anybody that comes up to me to chit-chat (which is something that

is really tough to do when I have my mouth stuffed with food, wine, and that coffee soda I love so much).

Instead, I put a small table on the handle bars of *Tornado* and get right to work, setting a timer on my MePhone to keep me up to date on how much time I have left before we have to go inside and eat the real dinner.

So it should be no surprise to you that I blew off **Parent of the Year Linda Dalton** when she wanted to say "Hello," instead savoring every bite of the mixed organic field salad tossed with sliced apples and walnuts in homemade balsamic vinaigrette along the delicious *penne ala vodka* and a heaping portion of the sautéed onions simmered with plum tomatoes and baby peas in a fresh cream sauce.

And **Man of the Year Sid Schatzman** couldn't get a word in edgewise while I shoveled down the boneless chicken *balsamico* alongside two giant eggplant *rolatini*, a dish that wouldn't be complete without a side of *Szechuan* flavored country-style spare ribs!

Then, I said "Talk to the fork" when our **Couple of the Year Nydia and Joe Corace** tried to chew

my ear off, chewing instead to chew on some stewed tripe with peas, a giant spoonful of *braciolettini*, and a heap of *il manzo tuscano*!

Of course, our **Humanitarian of the Year Brian Gotlieb** wanted to personally thank me, but, as the seconds to the cocktail hour's end ticked off, I was focused on the mussels *oreganata*, the *linguini aglio e olio*, and a massive pile of deep-fried *calamari* (that's fried squid for those of youse who don't know how to pronounce it!).

I was about halfway home when I saw **Educator of the Year Neal Opromalla** coming my way, so I put *Tornado* into high gear and headed for the carving table, where I insisted on trying every piece of meat known to man, including the pan-roasted leg of lamb, the roasted turkey, the corned beef, the Romanian pastrami and the delectable spiral ham!

Slap on top of that the speciality breads, the classic pasta dishes, and the traditional Mediterranean home-style *antipasti*, and I was one full Screecher when my alarm went off.

And then it was time to really eat! Our full-course dinner had six entrees to chews from,

including chicken *marsala*, veal *al caprese*, sole *oreganata*, Norwegian salmon, grilled vegetable medley, and my favorite, prime rib *au jus* — served bloody rare!

The revelers were then able to dance off their non-required calories until 11 pm, thanks to the **Salvatore Spatola's** music.

Needless to say everyone was well fed, pampered, and happy on a night that was a total success!

I would be remiss in not thanking all the elected officials that sent citations and proclamations to the honorees and me. **Borough President Markowitz**, who has attended most of our galas, gave his last State of Brooklyn message at the Barclays Center and almost everyone was there. But he did send proclamations to the honorees, **State Sena. Diane Savino** sent citations with **Olga Fiore**. My old boss, **Assemblyman William Colton**, was the only elected official to come and stayed to present his citations to the honorees. There were Citations from Councilmen **Domenick M. Recchia Jr.**, **Vincent Gentile**, and state **Sen. Marty Golden**.

Congratulations to all the honorees, and, as always, screech at you next week!

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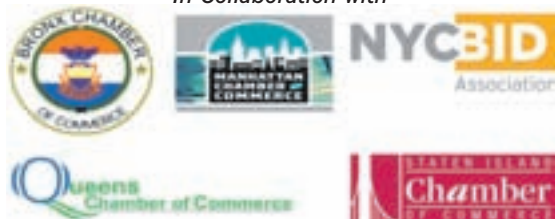
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Cops collar van attacker

BY COLIN MIXSON

They're birds of a feather, and stool pigeons to boot.

Cops have arrested four suspects in connection to the cold-blooded murder of a cargo-van driver last Tuesday. The collars include the alleged gunman, who was sold out by his girlfriend, her brother, and her brother's sister immediately after their arrest Wednesday night, according to a spokesman for District Attorney Charles Hynes.

Witnesses placed alleged shooter Daneel Edwards on Hawthorne Street between Nostrand and New York avenues at 12:30 pm, where they said he sauntered up to Martin Williams's van, which was idling by the roadside, and fired at least five shots.

One of the rounds found its mark in Williams's torso, and his van raked the sides of several parked cars as he attempted to flee, ultimately crashing into a black sedan before he blacked out and fell beside the vehicle's rear

passenger-side seats, where police found him dead.

Prior to the murder, according to the DA's office, Edwards was with his girlfriend Anita Adkins, who called her brother's girlfriend, Alice Alarcon, telling her to bring him the murder weapon.

Alarcon then passed the pistol off to her boyfriend,

Kayshawn Adkins, who delivered it express to Edwards.

Ultimately, the close-knit accomplices' twisted game of telephone resulted in the pistol reaching Edwards's hands and Williams's death, according to his cohorts, who spilled the beans to NYPD detectives, according to court documents.



PICKING THROUGH THE RUBBLE: Detectives investigate the murder of 42-year-old Martin Williams, who was gunned down while driving a cargo van last Tuesday. Cops have arrested four people in connection to the murder, including the alleged gunman.

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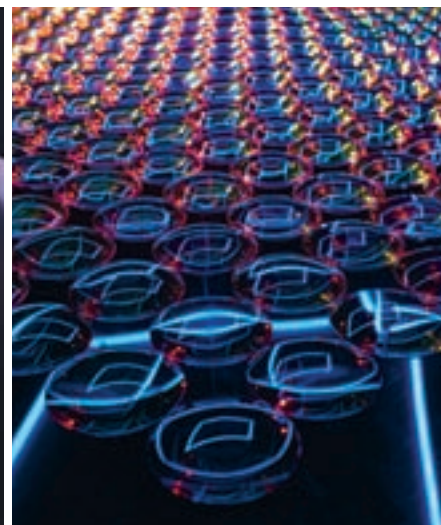
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worst I've seen it."

Vento said her disabled husband recently had to go to the hospital because of a double lung infection she suspects the dust exacerbated. She also said that she and several of her neighbors had to replace the shocks in their cars because of months of driving over broken blacktop.

"It's like riding the Cyclone down there," said Vento.

Both Carey and Vento

said they had reached out to state Sen. Marty Golden (R-Bay Ridge) and Councilman Vincent Gentile (D-Bay Ridge) for relief, or at least to find out when the ordeal will end. Both pols' offices confirmed they had gotten numerous complaints, but neither could provide any answers — much to the neighbors' chagrin.

"It doesn't seem like anybody's pushing to get this thing done," said Carey.

It's also unclear exactly who is working on the block right now, and what kind of work is being done. The residents said the laborers

on their street would not tell them who they were working for. Golden spokesman John Quaglione and Gentile spokesman Justin Brannan both said they have been talking to the Department of Environmental Protection about the project, but the city agency told us that they stopped working on the block months ago, and claimed Con Ed is responsible for the current construction. Con Ed spokesman Bob McGee said the utilities company had no employees on the scene, but said it might be one of its subcontractors doing repairs — and promised

to try to address the neighbors' concerns.

A Department of Environmental Protection spokesman promised his agency would repave the street as soon as the Con Ed crew gets out, though neither he nor McGee could give a date for when that might be.

But Department of Sanitation spokeswoman Kathy Dawkins said that a worker on the block informed her that the projects will continue for about four more weeks — which is the soonest residents can look forward to getting their street swept.



STILL IN THE HOLE: Neighbors along 92nd Street between Third Avenue and Ridge Boulevard say the repairs on their block are still ongoing 10 months after a massive sinkhole opened on the corner last summer.
Photo by Bess Adler

Bumper car

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\$2,500!

At least that's the idea behind the premium reward for top donors to the Sandy-swamped bumper-car attraction. Eldorado owner Gordon Lee is offering a VIP pass to let you ride free all summer in one of his bumper cars — you can even pick which one.

That's right! You can bump all you want every weekend in April, and every day from May till November, from noon through midnight — and even as late as 2 am in the summertime — for a one-time donation of \$2,500.

"You can ride all day if you want," says Lee.

But wait — there's more! The VIP pass gives you the option of picking out one car to call your own whenever you stop by — and you can even customize the ride with your name or a crazy design.

"It'd be like a box seat at Madison Square Garden," says Lee. "If you want me to personalize it, I can personalize it."

This deal is crazy — but Lee says he hasn't lost his mind. He's just trying to raise money to pay for some final repairs to his building and arcade games after Hurricane Sandy swamped his location in Oct. 2012.

So, like fellow People's Playground entrepreneurs Lola Star of the eponymous Boardwalk boutique and Dick Zigun of Sideshow by the Seashore — Lee has turned to crowdsourcing site LuckyAnt.com in the hope of getting everything back to normal at his 31-year-old Coney Island mainstay be-



THIS COULD BE YOURS! Eldorado Auto Skooter owner Gordon Lee will let you ride your own car all summer long for just \$2,500!

Photo by Steve Solomonson

fore the season gets into full swing.

"It's like a ticket pre-sale," says Lee, who is also offering premiums for donations as small as \$10. "We're hoping to use the social media network to let people know that we're open, that Coney Island's open, and we want the public to come and enjoy bumper car rides in America's greatest playground."

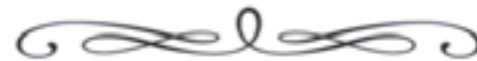
And no matter what your budget, Eldorado has a plan that works for you. \$1,000 gets you 350 rides — a \$2,400 value! For just \$500 you can take one of Lee's models for a spin 150 times. The \$200 package lets you bump your a-- off a whopping 55 times. You can also get 25 rides for \$100, 18 rides for \$75, 12 rides for \$50, five rides for \$25, or two rides for \$10.

But a deal this great won't last long! The offer ends April 29. So don't miss out!

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Look! The Screecher's smiling!

BY WILL BREDDERMAN

It's the one night of the year the Big Screecher isn't mad — the Bensonhurst West End Community Council Annual Gala!

The Greatest Columnist in the World, Carmine Santa Maria, celebrated the neighborhood group's 52nd birthday — and his 33rd year as president — honoring some very special Brooklynites at El Caribe Country Club in

Mill Basin on April 11.

More than 300 people turned out to see Bensonhurst's highest honor bestowed upon seven neighborhood leaders. Gravesend resident Linda Dalton won the Parent of the Year award for her participation in the Parent-Teacher Association at PS 95, Coney Islander Brian Gottlieb took home the Humanitarian of the Year award for his activism as a member of Community

Board 13, Antonella Bove of Sheepshead Bay got the Woman of the Year Award for her work as principal of PS 215, Nydia and Joe Corace from Coney Island were named Couple of the Year for their involvement in Kiwanis, Neal Opromalla of Borough Park earned the Educator of the Year prize with his efforts in the Children First school support network, and Bath Beacher Sid Schatzman picked up

the plaque for Man of the Year for his assistance to senior citizens.

"They're all wonderful people," said the Screecher.

And the food and staff at El Caribe couldn't have been better, according to Carmine.

"There was a server at the meat station, where they have the roast beef and the pastrami and everything. I went up there, he said 'let me make you a plate.' And he brought it out and everything was cut the right sizes. Sometimes they cut it too big, and you choke on it. So it was terrific," he recalled.

But the guests weren't the only ones honored that night. To show their appreciation for his fearless leadership, the council presented Carmine with a balloon in the shape of a "Z" — for Zorro, who, like Carmine, is a hero to thousands of adoring fans and rides a mighty steed named Tornado.

"It's good to be king," the Screecher said.



'Z' STANDS FOR 'CARMINE': Beloved Courier Life columnist Carmine Santa Maria, here with his trusty steed, Tornado, oversaw the Bensonhurst West End Community Council's annual gala and awards ceremony on April 11. At right, a bevy of Carmine's admirers danced the night away. Photos by Elizabeth Graham



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New York Harbor Watch



INVENT!: Development designers Tony Patti, John Baron, and Glenn Doucet stand in front of new modular appliances.

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Bringing the oven to the front

HARBOR WATCH

A versatile new suite of modular appliances promises to make feeding soldiers in the field a more energy-efficient, cleaner, cooler, and quieter process.

Product Manager Force Sustainment Systems and the Natick Soldier Research, Development and Engineering Center's Department of Defense Combat Feeding Directorate have teamed up to produce prototypes of the new appliances — powered by JP-8 fuel — that can be combined, split up, and located in any setting from a mobile kitchen to a building.

"We hope to actually be able to utilize these across all our platforms of all sizes," said Tim Benson, assistant product manager at Product Manager Force Sustainment Systems. "Right now, it's being evaluated in base camp applications."

The kitchen in a new Force Provider 100-person camp will be outfitted with the new appliances, said Benson, "so that they can be directly compared in terms of what fuel-efficiency gains there are and

how that helps operational energy savings."

The first Force Provider modular kitchen could be completed by May 2013.

"We're trying to position the Army for a replacement kitchen to completely replace the (Mobile Kitchen Trailer) with what we call the Battlefield Kitchen," said Benson, "and that would be based around these modular appliances."

According to Benson, Containerized Kitchens could also be updated with the new appliances.

"These appliances could be used on any kitchen platform," said Tony Patti, team leader, Equipment and Energy Technology, Combat Feeding. "Their versatility allows you the flexibility to use them in any situation."

"In addition, the modular concept has universal components. That allows you to configure them for different variations. They're also able to operate independently, so they can stand on their own for any mission need."

"You can quickly as-

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Preparedness is the key

Author leads discussion on zombies and other disasters

HARBOR WATCH

It doesn't matter if mankind is facing a zombie apocalypse, a massive hurricane, or a catastrophic earthquake — disasters of natural or unnatural origin still need to be prepared for.

"Do I have a zombie survival kit?" asked Max Brooks, the guest speaker of a Hurricane Rehearsal of Concept event, hosted by U.S. Army North (Fifth Army), from April 9 to 11.

"Sure!" answered the author of "The Zombie Survival Guide" and "World War Z." "It's my earthquake kit — it's the exact same thing."

Although it's not a typical question to ask, it is certainly a viable one for those in the business of keeping Americans safe and secure in the homeland. Such is the case for the Department of Defense and Interagency partners who gathered together at Fort Sam Houston, where they brought together military and federal, local and state agencies that would be tasked with responding to a hurricane disaster.

The concept of the rehearsal is tailored to provide guidance and input from all attendees and identify issues — as well as find solutions — during a joint effort.

Brooks credits "zombies" for bringing attention to preparedness in general and noted that the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention even has a "Zombie Plan."

"This is the first time I've ever seen the federal government actually do something cool," he said, in speaking of the pro-



APOCALYPSE COMING: Author Max Brooks discusses his book "World War Z" at Fort Sam Houston in Texas.

Photo by Sgt. First Class Christopher DeHart

cess used by all levels of government in responding to emergencies and disasters. And while he got more than a few laughs from that, he truly meant what he said.

"For the first time, you have young people being interested in being prepared, being 'tricked into' taking care of themselves, really, because even if the zombie apocalypse does not happen, they will be ready for the next hurricane or next disaster," Brooks said.

He certainly didn't mean tricked in a bad way either, but there is something about the idea of facing down a horde of zombies that can seem more heroic and exciting than dealing with the realities of flooding, loss of power, and damages from a super storm. It's this hook, he said, that makes the mission of Army North and its partners to be something that average citi-

zens can relate to.

Brooks said he has spoken at the Naval War College twice already on the same subject.

"We are teaching people what to do when the lights go out," he said enthusiastically in explaining that he feels it is his job not only to entertain but to educate as well. "If I can get people thinking, even just briefly, what it takes to keep the lights on and what it takes from the people who keep the lights on, then I will have done my job."

Many of the major agencies that are part of the Northern Command's Joint Forces Land Component Command, as well as several federal, state and local partners, took advantage of the opportunity to talk in an open forum on how their "piece" of the disaster response operations would be conducted. They included lessons learned from the

previous year's experiences, particularly with Hurricane Sandy.

"Our processes that we've used in the past haven't always supported getting things done on time," said Ralph Laurie, Defense Logistics Agency. "During Hurricane Sandy, we got a little out of our comfort zone, but that was what our director was demanding."

Laurie explained that the level of product support, such as fuel, water, machinery, etc., was unprecedented during Hurricane Sandy, and it showed their capability in leaning forward to deliver what was needed. Responsiveness, he added, trumps all and was "the coin of the realm" and will be in the future.

A phase-by-phase hurricane scenario was a big part of the exercise. It involved two storm systems building to hurricane level and the potential landfall at Gulfport, Miss., and Norfolk, Va., which produced corresponding flood and wind damage in each region. Each phase corresponds with different actions required by the Joint Forces Land Component Command and the Federal Emergency Management Agency — from the shaping of the storm, to anticipating direction and impact, to response once the storm or storms hit, to operations during the incident, to providing stability and ending with transition back to state and local agencies and the subsequent support.

Maj. Gen. Perry Wiggins, deputy commanding

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Cadets named Truman Scholars

Erin Mauldin and Ahmad Nasir were among 52 students selected for the honors

HARBOR WATCH

U.S. Military Academy at West Point Class of 2014 Cadets Erin Mauldin and Ahmad Nasir were among 62 students from 54 colleges and universities across the nation to be named 2013 Truman Scholars.

Mauldin, from Albuquerque, NM, is an international history and environmental science double major who has been instrumental in the Corps of Cadets' energy and environmental initiatives. Though the position wasn't formalized yet, she volunteered as the brigade energy and environmental noncommissioned officer her sophomore year.

"It showed great initiative on her part," Maj. Andrew Pfluger, an assistant professor and executive officer in the Department of Geography and Environmental Engineering. "Since then, she has been heavily



NEW SCHOLARS: US Military Cadets Ahmad Nasir and Erin Mauldin were named 2013 Truman Scholars. Courtesy US Military Academy

involved in promoting energy and environmental awareness and stewardship in the Corps, especially with programs such as RecycleMania."

She was one of five cadets on an interdisciplinary research team working on a waste-to-energy project in 2012. They presented their research at the inaugural Rapid Equipping Force Grand Challenge last May, and spent a

few weeks in Western Uganda fielding their Bio-Gas Digester System at the Kasiisi primary school.

An avid mountaineer, Mauldin is also a member of the West Point Climbing Team and is the first West Point female cadet to have completed French Commando School, the four-week course in Mont-Louis, France.

Nasir, from Anchorage, Alaska, is an American

Politics and Arabic double major. He is the founder and head of Team Red, White & Blue in his home state — an organization dedicated to transforming the way veterans reintegrate into society through team environments and personal connectivity.

"I am incredibly humbled and honored to have been named a Truman Scholar, and I look forward to joining a community of change agents that are so committed to the notion of public service," Nasir said. "I am also very grateful for the support I have received from my mentors, friends, and family over the past three years."

Nasir has worked as a congressional intern and participated in a cultural exchange with the Sultanate of Oman. He is a native Urdu, Hindi and Punjabi speaker and has studied abroad in Morocco.

His brother Hamid, a Class of 2013 cadet, was a 2012 recipient of the Truman Scholarship.

Mauldin and Nasir will have the opportunity to further their education with a scholarship valued at approximately \$30,000 for two years at any accredited university in the world. West Point cadets have earned 31 Truman Scholarships since first competing in 1992. There have been 2,906 scholars selected since the awards were established in 1977.

Nasir hopes to use his education and military experience to help bridge the divide between U.S. and South Asian military officers in order to forge stronger bilateral relationships in the region.

"With the scholarship I hope to pursue a Masters in Public Policy in International and Global Affairs at Harvard's Kennedy School

of Government, to prepare myself for a career as a Soldier-statesman," Nasir said.

The names were announced April 10, by the Truman Scholarship Foundation with more than 600 finalists competing for the prestigious national award. The U.S. Military Academy was one of only eight institutions to have multiple Truman Scholar recipients.

"Cadets Erin Mauldin and Ahmad Nasir are tremendous representatives of West Point's Corps of Cadets and highly deserving recipients of Truman Scholarships. Our cadets continue to receive great recognition in national and international scholarship competitions. This is an acknowledgment of the hard work and dedication of our cadets and the commitment of our faculty," said Dean of the Academic Board Brig. Gen. Timothy Trainor.



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Oven

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semble a kitchen complete with ventilation inside of a building using these appliances," said Glenn Doucet, project engineer, Food Service Equipment Team, Combat Feeding. "One of the main reasons we went to this is because they want to bring equipment into buildings."

Each appliance consists of what Doucet called "the same basic building blocks:" a base, drawer

module, cabinet module, heater module, vent hood module, and appliance module. They are easily broken down and moved.

"You can splinter them down off of a kitchen trailer platform and have them all be self-sustaining or self-supporting," Patti said.

The new appliances would replace the venerable Modern Burner Unit, a proven, rugged field appliance. But Modern Burner Unit-based kitchens lack the interchangeability of the modular suite across various platforms, and the cur-

rent kitchens can produce an average of 85 decibels of noise and reach temperatures of 150 degrees Fahrenheit. The modular appliances are much quieter and individually vented to pull the heat and exhaust gases out of the kitchen space.

"We have a closed-combustion chamber that transfers the energy to the cook surface more efficiently, and (it) also offers quiet operation, and most importantly, it will take the combustion effluent and duct it out of the kitchen," Patti said.

Zombies

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general for operations, Army North, introduced the scenario overview and broad topics discussion by reminding everyone that each person there had something to learn — and also had something to share.

"The most important thing about hurricane sea-

son, personally, is relationships," Wiggins said. "When a hurricane happens, sometimes there is confusion that surrounds it. And, there are people who will be there who have experience with that and understand what to do — those people are you."

Wiggins also noted that representatives were present from all agencies and that it is a total government effort.

"We in this uniform, we are the support team," he said. "Although the military is well-known for leading the way, here, they are one of the pillars of support to the disaster response agencies."

A hurricane is only one of the many incidents that may occur at any given time; beginning in June, the season approaches when they are most likely to form and strike.

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Here she is, Miss Jr. Teen Standing O

MANHATTAN BEACH

Delaney Druckman is ready for her close up. This beautiful pre-teen is fresh off the competition trail and is getting ready for the Miss Junior Pre Teen New York



City Pageant nationals. The beautiful Brooklyn babe was selected to participate in the competition that took place on April 14. Her mom tells Standing O that Delaney has a lot of practice she's already the

winner of the 2004 Daily News Cutest Baby Award. Now she can add the Cutest Standing O to her list of honorarium.

Mom **Darlene** added, "Nationals are in Orlando and Delaney is buffing up for the next leg of the journey."

Standing O has no doubt that Delaney will wipe out the competition.

BERGEN BEACH

Summa cum great

You are never too old to learn, and the seniors from Millennium Development proved that. Members **Linda Gilbert-Schneider**, **Mary Lynch**, and **Marcy Nugent** graduated from an intense three week-workshop. The scholarly seniors, all from Southern Brooklyn and representing all Millennium service centers, learned how New York center senior residents can become advocates for other seniors, their families, neighbors, and peers.

The three will face their first challenge on May 8 when they join with other senior members on Advocacy Day at City Hall. The silver brigade will meet with New York City Council members and advocate for no cuts to senior programs, and the continued issues that pertain to the ongoing needs and aging concerns. They currently have 20 appointments, which is an amazing step for all city seniors.

Standing O wishes them well in their endeavor.

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STING LIKE A BEE! Coach Devon Cormack shares the winning moment with Brooklyn's Heather "The Heat" Hardy and the referee after her win at Roseland Ballroom on April 4.

Photo by Anna Bauer

'The Heat' scorches competition

GERRITSEN BEACH

Ten rounds to **Heather "The Heat" Hardy** on boxing the lights out of her opponent **Mikayla Nebel** at Roseland Ballroom on April 4. The Gerritsen Beach brawler remained undefeated (at 5-0!), winning with a score of 60-53, 60-54, and 60-54, which, in boxing squared circles, is called a unanimous decision.

Using a powerful one-two punch, Heather trounced Nebel in this much-anticipated rematch, and, this time, she never fell to the mat.

"She was the girl who dropped me to the floor with a strong right hand in the first minute of our previous fight," Heather told Standing O.

"I never take any of my opponents

lightly, and this was no exception."

Coach **Devon Cormack** had no doubts that "The Heat" would put the burn on her opponent this go-round.

"We are a lot more experienced," he said. "Nebel saw a different 'Heat' than in the first bout. But the learning continues and I see more challenge from her opponents in the future. She will step up to the plate to improve her status."

Sharing her thoughts on this last win, Heather told Standing O, "This win came from the blood, sweat, and tears of me and my mentor, my coach and my best friend, Devon Cormack."

Way to go!

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DYKER HEIGHTS

If he designs it, he'll win

Four cheers and a big huzzza for **Sam Nakagawa**. The Poly Prep senior generated four wins for his innovative wind turbine design. The research competition sponsored by the **New York City Department of Education** and the **City University of New York** is the largest in the entire city. Hundreds of students from all over the boroughs participated, but Standing O pal Sam, from our very own little burgh, trounced his fellow researchers and took home four wins, including:

- Second place for outstanding projects based on overall performance, in which he received a silver medal and certificate.

- The Frank W. and Jane J. Stahl Memorial Award for Technical Excellence, which provided 100 buckaroos in prize money.

- The National Society of Professional Engineers and Professional Engineers in Industry Innovative Engineering Award for his outstanding project, which added \$1,000 to Sam's till, along with a certificate and a lapel pin.

And finally —

- The United States Air Force Outstanding Engineering Fair Project award for outstanding projects in math, science, and engineering, which added one more certificate to the pile.

Standing O wanted to know why Sam was so electric over this type of research, "I wanted to focus on renewable energy," he said.

He added, "I consider myself a creative person. And I've been building robots to electronics since I was a child."

Although this uber-wunderkind engineer hasn't chosen a college yet, he is considering Worcester Polytechnic Institute in Massachusetts, Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio, and Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, New York.

Standing O is hoping he sticks with his home state. After all, New York needs all the help it can get when it comes to renewable energy. But we love the steak sauce from Worcester.

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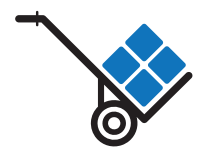
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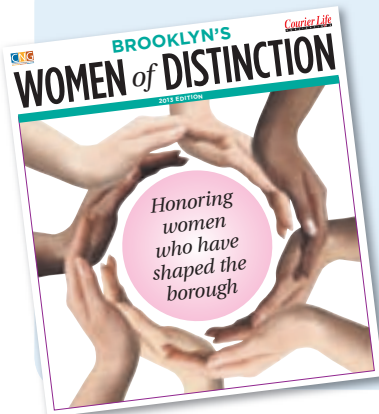
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Bar's toilet seat lifted

BY DANIELLE FURFARO

You don't want to take this sitting down.

A thief stole the toilet seat from Lighthouse BK last Wednesday night in a bizarre bathroom heist that left the owners of the Williamsburg restaurant and bar frustrated, confused, and with a wider pot to well, you know the bit.

Assaf Tamir, co-owner of the Borinquen Place establishment, made the shocking discovery after he and his sister Naama closed up shop for the night.

"He came out of the bathroom and asked me what happened to the toilet seat," said Naama. "It was missing in action."

The seat was no ordinary white ceramic donut — it was wood with brass fixtures that apparently caught the attention of a thieving bathroom-goer, according to the restaurateur.

"I doubt it would just walk away," said Naama.

Whoever took the toi-



RAGE AGAINST THE LATRINE: Assaf Tamir, an owner of the Lighthouse in Williamsburg, is baffled by the theft of a toilet seat at his Williamsburg restaurant. Photo by Elizabeth Graham

let seat did not damage the commode during the heist, though the perp did leave some washers at the scene.

The pair posted about the loss to their loo on their Facebook page the following morning, partially in an attempt to find out who was behind the lavatory larceny, but mainly just to vent.

Thankfully the eatery boasts a second bathroom,

albeit smaller, that accommodated patrons until staffers replaced the seat before the dinner rush last Thursday.

The missing seat would not have put the Tamirs afool of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene — code states that restaurants that seat more than 19 must have toilets, but there is no rule requiring those johns to have seats.

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Pink flowers, blue hair

By Jaime Lutz

Famous for its beautiful display of cherry blossoms, the Brooklyn Botanic Garden's Sakura Matsuri is now a popular gathering for costumed anime fans.

A veritable army of cosplayers, manga fans, and anime nerds will amass at this year's floral festival, making dressing up just as much a part of the fun as admiring the collection of Japanese flowering cherries.

"It absolutely has taken on a life of its own," said Garden spokeswoman Kate Blumm, who added that the event has gone from featuring purely traditional events like tea ceremonies to welcoming nerds of modern Japanese culture



Tea time: Hairs of all hues are joining in on the celebration of cherry blossoms and Japanese culture at the Brooklyn Botanic Garden. Photo by Jason Gardner

for the past five or six years.

The result is lots and lots of frilly costumes — and plenty of people making the "V" sign with their fingers.

"[Many people] spend months and months painstakingly making a particular outfit for this festival," Blumm said. "It really has become one of the places for this subculture to see and be seen."

The Brooklyn Botanic Garden has, in fact, embraced this — it's even producing a cosplay fashion show, with music provided by an anime-inspired rock band.

But even traditionalists will feel at home among the cherry blossoms, Blumm said.

"The focus hasn't changed," she said. "It's just expanded."

"Sakura Matsuri" at Brooklyn Botanic Garden [150 Eastern Pkwy., 990 Washington Ave., or 455 Flatbush Ave. entrances in Prospect Park, (718) 623-7200, bbg.org]. April 27 and 28, 10 am-6 pm, \$20, \$15 seniors and students, free for kids under 12.

INSANE IN THE FRAME

Underground comic book artists give bizarre readings

By Colin Mixson

Just because they're picture books don't mean you can't read them out loud.

Bizarre underground comic books are finally getting the readings they deserve in a performance series coming to Williamsburg.

"Anything goes," said Chicago-based event creator Lyra Hill, who is bringing the show "Brain Frame" to Brooklyn for the first time.

"Somebody turned their comic into an exercise routine once. We've had people do shadow puppets and lectures. It's definitely not what you'd expect."

The shows are also not as simple to set up as the typical book reading.

An archivist and projectionist, Hill, frequently puts her technical knowledge to work for the show, splicing images together and using multiple projectors to create awesome effects on stage.

"I make comics and films," said Hill, who used both of those skills in a recent display using three analog slide projectors, each in a different color, that combined to form every panel. "Suffice to say, it was very complicated, and I couldn't have done it if I didn't have a technical background in film."

Bringing the show and all its bells and whistles to Brooklyn was bound to happen. Hill said she's a big zine fan, and befriended the folks at



Photo by Gillian Fry

Public Assembly when they hosted last year's Zine Fest, and according to Hill, it didn't take too much effort to sell them on the show.

"I knew the organizers and was able to convince them I knew what I was doing," she said. "It was easy, they were into it."

Hill usually hosts the show, but this time, she will present her own comic, "Go Down," which is anything but your typical hero yarn.

"It's about a girl who buys a magic crystal and meets her boyfriend in a field," she said.

Then the story lives up to its title, and hallucination ensues.

Brain Frame at Public Assembly [N. Sixth St. between Kent and Wythe avenues in Williamsburg, (718) 384-4586, publicassemblynyc.com] April 21, 7 pm, free.



Photo courtesy of Lyra Hill

Graphic novels: (Above) Lyra Hill's performative reading series "Brain Frame" brings to life the bizarre world of underground comic books for audiences. (Left) Performers often show up in costume when they present their work, such as bearded tomato-man Aaron Renier.

Score! Silent films paired with live music

By Natalie Musumeci

Who needs Dolby digital? Traveling Boston-based quartet Andrew Alden Ensemble will perform original contemporary chamber music to soundless, full-length motion picture classics screened at the Prospect Park West moviehouse the Pavilion Theater.

"Each movie we do has a very distinctive feel," said the eponymous composer, who formed the four-man troupe a year ago. "The whole thing is written to exactly mirror the action going on in the film."

The group, made up of Alden on the keyboard, a violinist, an electric guitarist, and a drummer, got its movie performance series underway earlier this month at the 85-year-old multiplex with the showing of the 1925 version of "The Phantom of the Opera" and the 1968 horror film "Night of the Living Dead" — which is not silent but was shown with subtitles instead of sound.

The mobile band, which has brought its cinematic music series to old movie houses across the northeast, will perform at screenings of the 1925 dinosaur film "The Lost



Innovative ensemble: Composer and keyboardist Andrew Alden, violinist Beltran Del Campo, guitarist Nat Saralamba, and drummer Andy Cantu pair live music with silent films. Courtesy of the Andrew Alden Ensemble

World," the 1922 horror "Nosferatu," which is the first Dracula movie ever made, and the 1925 Russian epic "Battleship Potemkin."

"There's nothing exactly like what we sound like," said Alden, who added that it takes up to seven weeks to write one musical score. "It's like a massive wave of encompassing sounds."

The film and music fanatic said that he selects movies that resonate with him and then he carefully views the flick multiple times

marking off the dramatic and high-tension scenes and notes the themes before penning a concerto.

During performances the group even improvises, said Alden, who described the band's sound as "post-minimalist chamber music mixed with rock and jazz." Influences include modern classical composer Philip Glass, Radiohead, and saxophonist John Coltrane.

"It's such a unique thing to get to see these movies in a theater on the big screen and what we do is something you don't get to see everyday," he said.

The Pavilion applied for a liquor license last year so it can serve booze during movie screenings, and wrote on its Facebook page that the "Silent Film Festival" is part of the theater's ongoing renovations under new management.

The Andrew Alden Ensemble at the Pavilion Theater [188 Prospect Park West at 14th Street in Park Slope, (718) 369-0838, www.paviliontheater.com]. "The Lost World," April 24, 8 pm, "Nosferatu," May 1, 8 pm, "Battleship Potemkin," May 8, 8 pm. \$15.

EARL'S PEARLS OF WISDOM

Legendary Knicks star tells of his legendary life

By Matthew Spolar

Knicks legend Earl “The Pearl” Monroe had a storied career — and a life worth telling.

In preparation for his April 30 reading in Bedford-Stuyvesant, here are some off-court highlights in Earl’s own words:

Earl stopped an armed robbery with his bare hands while trying to buy liquor on a Sunday in Lawnside, New Jersey

I wasn’t a hero or anything like that, I guess I just did it out of sheer instinct ... This guy just happened to see us and pull a little .25 automatic on us and I just had quick hands and just took it from him ... I took the gun with me to Winston-Salem, when I went to school, because I hadn’t been down south before.

Earl was chased through rural Virginia by hooded Klansmen while he visited a college girlfriend

I see these cars are flashing their lights in front of me and cars are flashing their lights in back of me. Then I realized I was actually in the midst of a Ku Klux Klan rally. So I quickly got to the next right turn, took that turn and went down this street. And behind me all of a sudden these cars were starting to jet out and trying to catch me. So I put my foot to the metal and got out of there.

While playing in Baltimore, Earl smoked angel dust at a party at football player Bubba Smith’s house

This guy came up to me and told me to take a puff of this here. I didn’t know what it was, I was partying and drinking and whatnot. And he said, ‘Now don’t puff it too long, y’know, don’t take a big puff.’ So I took a loong puff. Next thing I know, I was in la-la land. There were bodies, women all around. Everything was in slow-motion ... After I was able to come down off that, I promised myself I would never do that again, and thank goodness I haven’t.

Earl received a fan letter from Woody Allen

It said that he and his guys, they think I’m the greatest showman in the game. And that the Knicks should change their game to fit me, and that not to be distressed about how things have gone because things are going to be better.

Earl didn’t realize Miles Davis repeatedly offered him an orthopedic bed

When I had my surgery on my foot



The sporting life: Former New York Knicks star Earl “The Pearl” Monroe drives past Boston Celtic Jeff Judkins — just like he did the Ku Klux Klan in Virginia, one time.

AP Photo

Miles used to call me and I could never understand what he was saying because he had this raspiness in his voice ... So I used to always say ‘Uh huh, yeah, uh huh,’ and that’s what our conversations were like ... It wasn’t until years and years later when I read his autobiography — y’know the only thing I could understand him saying was ‘bed’ — that I realized he was trying to offer me his orthopedic bed, you know, for me to recuperate with.

Earl held up the Knicks plane to Los Angeles after Game 4 of the 1973 NBA Finals looking for men who had assaulted him

The girl I was going with at the time, we were walking to get my car and these heavyset white guys who were drunk, they accosted me and one of them punched me. Tina, she was trying to pull me back and whatnot, and I was mad as hell. And so when I got my car — I had a gun in my car — I started riding around and looking for them. Finally she convinced me that I had to get out to the airport because I had

a flight to catch and, you know, deal with this some other time.

Earl swears he was attacked by a ghost in his girlfriend’s Brooklyn apartment

I was just lying in the apartment and something just seemed to overcome me. I couldn’t move, I couldn’t get up, I couldn’t do anything ... So I started saying the Lord’s prayer. I started cursing it and saying the prayer again, and cursing it and saying the prayer. I wound up saying my mother’s favorite verse, the 23rd Psalm, and eventually it just kind of let me go ... I don’t know if it’s a dream or whatever it is, but it’s like a 500-pound whatever is just lying on you and you can’t see it.

Earl Monroe will discuss his book “Earl the Pearl: My Story” — and hopefully his life — with Quincy Troupe at Billie Holiday Theater at Restoration Plaza [1368 Fulton St. between Marcy and Brooklyn avenues in Bedford-Stuyvesant, (718) 246-0200, www.greenlightbookstore.com]. April 30, 7 pm, free RSVP.

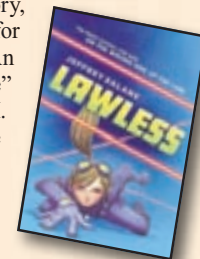


The best reads — handpicked by local bookstore employees

WORD’s pick: “Lawless” by Jeff Salane

I’m a sucker for a good heist story, so I knew I was going to fall for “Lawless” right from the get-go. An “Ocean’s Eleven” or “Leverage” for the younger set, it follows M. Freeman as she leaves home for the elite Lawless School. She has no idea that she comes from a family of master criminals, or that she’s been trained her whole life to join their ranks. Right and wrong don’t come into it just yet — M is just trying to survive! Action-packed, full of twists and turns and double-crosses and international intrigue, it’s a true page-turner.

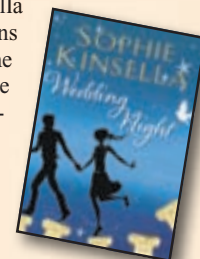
— Jenn Northington, WORD [126 Franklin St. at Milton Street in Greenpoint, (718) 383-0096, www.wordbrooklyn.com].



The BookMark Shoppe’s pick: “Wedding Night” by Sophie Kinsella

British Author Sophie Kinsella is best known for her “Confessions of A Sophoholic” series, but she has also written a few stand alone books as well. Her newest stand-alone title, “Wedding Night”, is Kinsella’s most clever and humorous work so far. Sisters’ Lottie and Fliss are larger than life characters that feel so real, any woman should have friends like them. I literally laughed out loud so often picturing the scenes playing out in my mind. Fliss is angry, bitter, and soon to be divorced, trying single handily to ruin her sister Lottie’s wedding night, and all for good reason! A perfect light fun novel for readers of Lindsey Kelk and Jennifer Weiner.

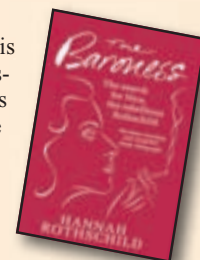
— Bina Valenzano, co-owner, The BookMark Shoppe [8415 Third Ave. between 84th and 85th streets in Bay Ridge, (718) 833-5115, www.bookmarkshoppe.com].



Greenlight Bookstore’s pick: “The Baroness: The Search for Nica, the Rebellious Rothschild” by Hannah Rothschild

This fascinating biography is chock full of wild and romantic history. Panonica Rothschild (Baroness Panonica de Koenigswarter, to be exact), married, bore many children, fled the war, and then while living in Africa, heard a Thelonius Monk recording and on a dime she up and left her entire world behind to head out for NYC. Now officially the black sheep of the family, she began a whole new life full of adventure — drugs, music, men, women, art and many, many cats. She championed Thelonius’s music, becoming his biggest fan and greatest supporter. Written by her grand niece, this biography has interesting insights to the family complexity of the Rothschild dynasty, but really — my favorite thing about this book was the way it brought New York City and the jazz world to life.

— Rebecca Fitting, Greenlight Bookstore [686 Fulton St. between S. Elliott Place and S. Portland Avenue in Fort Greene, (718) 246-0200, www.greenlightbookstore.com].



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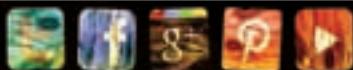
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GENDER STUDIES — ON WHEELS!

Plight of male roller derby players is subject of new film

By Danielle Furfaro

It takes a real man to hit like a girl. After witnessing the disdain directed at men playing roller derby, two Brooklyn skaters have made a new documentary dubbed “This Is How I Roll,” portraying men’s struggle to find acceptance in the early days of the women’s sport.

“We started to see parallels to what people said about women’s basketball, that the track is too big, that it’s going to divide the audience and the sponsors, that men don’t look good in the uniforms,” said producer Joe Mihalchick, who skates under the name Maulin’ Brando for the New York Shock Exchange, a men’s roller derby league.

This conflict inspired director Kat Vecchio to begin filming in 2008 when she realized she had a rare, intimate view of a historic moment — when a group of roller-guys drove to Chicago to play one of their first bouts.

“When you make a documentary, you have to gain trust and access and there’s a lot of research you have to do about what preceded it,” said Vecchio, who once skated with Gotham Girls Roller Derby under the name Daizy Chainz. “We knew all that information already.”

The documentary is definitely an insider’s look at a rare moment in sport when gender stereotypes were flipped. Vecchio and Mihalchick’s skating cred granted them unlimited access to private practices and pre-bout locker room pep talks.

“The fact that it was a film being made by skaters made us accepted,” said

Vecchio. “They had a little more faith that we would get this right.”

Faith and trust were crucial due to the sensitive subject matter. And the antagonistic feelings of many women towards the male skaters were understandable. In a world where men dominate most sports, women had sparked a minor gender revolution by creating modern roller derby through a worldwide network of women-run-and-operated leagues.

“Men don’t have a great track record of sharing the spotlight with women in sports,” said Vecchio.

While old-school derby televised in the 20th century was scripted like pro-wrestling, modern roller derby is a sport with complex rules and strategies. It’s popularity in the past 12 years in the United States and the world is clear from the many documentaries about the sport — and a blockbuster Hollywood film called “Whip It” — but “This is How I Roll” is the only film that focuses on the male perspective.

The movie brings audiences to present times, where women skaters have started to take men seriously — though there are nearly 20 times as many female leagues as male organizations worldwide.

“At some point, you have to stop changing your end cards and let it go,” said Vecchio.

“*This Is How I Roll*” in the Art of Brooklyn Film Festival at Founders Hall Theater, St Francis College (180 Remsen St. between Court and Clinton streets in Brooklyn Heights, www.aobff.org). May 17, 8:45 pm, \$50 for all-access pass.



Rollers: A New York Shock Exchange player Maulin’ Brando and former Gotham Girls Roller Derby player Daizy Chainz collaborated on a film about the struggles of the burgeoning men’s roller derby scene. Photo by Elizabeth Graham

Rock musical explores Van Gogh’s bromance with Gauguin

By Samantha Lim

A new rock musical will leave you with a good “post impression.”

Art history meets contemporary tunes in “Mass,” a new rock musical at the Brick Theater in Williamsburg about the tumultuous relationship between Post Impressionist luminaries, Vincent van Gogh and Paul Gauguin.

But just because the show is about two of art history’s most famous men doesn’t mean it can’t have females playing the main roles.

“Frankly, I’m tired of story lines with men at the center while females serve as props to help them through their struggles,” said writer and director Robert Honeywell. “The love story between two women should be a normality, not an exception.”

In fact, the entire cast of “Mass” is female.

Actors Moira Stone and Esther Crow play the principal characters of Mary and Françoise, Van Gogh and Gauguin’s female alter egos. An androgynous Bowie-lookalike, Stone’s stage presence is indispensable to the lead role. Ironically, the actress felt quite the opposite prior to production.

“I tried backing out several times, going so far as to tell Robert



Love and art: Actors Phoebe Silva, Moira Stone, and Esther Crow tussle in “Mass,” a new rock musical about Post Impressionist painters Vincent van Gogh and Paul Gauguin’s tumultuous relationship. Photo by Joe Kolbow

he’d made a mistake in casting me. But Robert was steadfast. I decided to close my eyes and jump. I’m so glad I did!” said Stone.

Honeywell was seduced by the idea of a rock musical inspired by Van Gogh, and studied the subject matter thoroughly for two years, even attending art history classes at Manhattan’s Museum of Modern Art.

Art enthusiasts will delight in myriad references to art history. The script touches on topics such as Marcel du Champ’s ground-breaking “Fountain” and Van Gogh’s literal interpretation of lending an ear. And although the characters are based on renowned personalities from the 1800s, listening to them rant is strikingly similar to hearing your artist friends complain about their struggles.

That said, much of the wit in “Mass” doesn’t require a degree in art history.

When Van Gogh tries to convince Gauguin to migrate to Montreal, Gauguin argues that she doesn’t speak French.

“But you’re Canadian,” Van Gogh replies.

“*Mass*” at the Brick Theater [579 Metropolitan Ave. at Lorimer Street in Williamsburg, (718) 285-3863, www.bricktheater.com] April 13-30, Tues. and Thurs.-Sat., 8 pm, Sun., 3 pm, \$18.



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POETRY OUTREACH: Join with Ken Siegelman in this poetry slam for all ages. **Free.** 6:30 pm. Barnes and Noble [267 Seventh Ave. at 6th Street in Park Slope, (718) 832-9066], barnesand-noble.com.

DANCE, FUNNY DANCES: 8 pm. See Friday, April 19.

COMEDY, DUMBO COMEDY: Standup Comedy returns to DUMBO! **Free.** 8:30 pm. 66 Water St Restaurant [66 Water St. in DUMBO, (718) 625-9352], www.facebook.com/dumbo-comedy.

FRI, APRIL 26

PROJECT GREEN: Enjoy a day of environmental friendly projects and performances. **Free.** 9 am - noon. Herbert Von King Cultural Arts Center [670 Lafayette Ave. at Tompkins Avenue in Clinton Hill, (718) 622-2082].

ART, JEWELRY SHOW: See the shimmering items at this jewelry exhibition by Chad Ypon, Freddie Matara, and Sara Samoiloff. **Free.** 6-9 pm. Fitzgerald Jewelry [174 N. 11th St., (718) 387-6200], www.thedivine-tribe.com AND www.fitzgeraldjewelry.com.

MUSIC, SINGER SONGWRITER: The talented Charlotte Sometimes of album "Circus Head" will be performing this upcoming April in Brooklyn. **Free.** 7 pm. Zio Toto [8407 Third Ave., (718) 238-8042], effectiveimmediatelypr.com.

MUSIC, "CASABLANCA"-THEMED BURLESQUE: The Bell House transforms into a Moroccan den of intrigue, cocktails, jazz, blackmail and burlesque, all inspired by the classic Oscar-winning film Casablanca. \$20. 8 pm. Bell House [149 Seventh St. at Third Avenue in Gowanus, (718) 643-6510], www.thebellhouseyeny.com.

DANCE, FUNNY DANCES: 8 pm. See Friday, April 19.

SAT, APRIL 27

SAKURA MATSURA: The annual weekend festival celebrates Japanese culture and the rite of Spring, features over 60 performances, and a host of hands-on workshops. \$20 (\$15 students and seniors, free for members and children under 12). 10 am-6 pm. Brooklyn Botanic Garden [1000 Washington Ave., at Eastern Parkway in Crown Heights, (718) 623-7220], www.bbg.org.

CONCERT, BEETHOVEN'S NINTH SYMPHONY: Metropolitan Opera tenor John Horton Murray joins with St. Anselm's Music Director Therese Panicali and the Brooklyn Conservatory Choral in this performance. \$25. 8 pm. St. Ann & The Holy Trinity (157 Montague St. at Clinton Street in Brooklyn Heights), www.thetrochamberorchestra.org.



From Russia: Moscow Festival Ballet presents the classic "Swan Lake" at Kingsborough Community College on April 20. Photo courtesy of CAMI

FRI, APRIL 19

EARTH DAY CELEBRATION: Dig in and explore the earth. Discover what lives under the soil. Free with museum admission. 11:30 am-12:30 pm and 2:30-3:30 pm. Brooklyn Children's Museum [145 Brooklyn Ave. at St. Marks Avenue in Crown Heights, (718) 735-4400], www.brooklynkids.org.

MUSIC, ANNUAL BROOKLYN FOLK FESTIVAL: Down Home Radio Show Host Eli Smith and The Fabulous Jalopy Theatre are proud to announce the 5th Annual Brooklyn Folk Festival. \$15. 7 pm. Bell House [149 Seventh St. at Third Avenue in Gowanus, (718) 643-6510], www.thebellhouseyeny.com.

MUSIC, RABBI DARKSIDE: "Prospect Avenue" is the new solo album from emcee Rabbi Darkside, featuring stories of teaching, learning and evolving in new millennium Brooklyn. See the Rabbi drop the truth. \$10. 8 pm. Littlefield [622 De-graw St. between Fourth and Fifth avenues in Gowanus, (718) 855-3388], www.littlefieldnyc.com.

DANCE, FUNNY DANCES: "Triskelion's Fourth Annual Comedy in Dance Festival" is hoping to attract fans of dance who have a sense of humor and fans of comedy who can sit through squirming, shuffling, and shaking. Ideally, attendees are both. \$15, \$12 students and seniors, \$30 for 3-show package. 8 pm. Triskelion Arts' Aldous Theater [118 N. 11th St. 3rd Floor between Berry Street and Wythe Avenues in Williamsburg, (718) 599-3577], www.triskelionarts.org.

SAT, APRIL 20

MUSIC, ANNUAL BROOKLYN FOLK FESTIVAL: 7 pm. See Friday, April 19.

MUSIC, SONGS, CARTOONS, KARAOKE: An hour-long program of animated videos presented by Cartune Xprez, a video label / roadshow / cartoon gang. With an opening performance by experimental singer-songwriter Manett and a midi-karaoke party afterward. \$7. 8 pm. LaunchPad [721 Franklin Ave. in Crown Heights, (646) 494-7211], brooklyn-launchpad.org.

MUSIC, SPUYTEN DUUVIL: Yonkers-based Spuyten Duyvil brings its special blend of amped up Roots/Americana to First Acoustics Music Concert Series in Brooklyn Heights. \$25. 8 pm. First Unitarian Church [116 Pierrepont St. at Monroe Street in Brooklyn Heights], www.firstacoustics.org.

MUSIC, THE OMNI ENSEMBLE: The ensemble will conclude its 30th season of concerts with an evening of Pop, Jazz and original music, by John Coltrane, Cole Porter, David Wechsler, Guy Klucsevsek, The Beatles and others. \$15/\$10 students and seniors. 8 pm. Brooklyn Conservatory of Music [58 Seventh Ave. between Lincoln Place and Seventh Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 622-3300 or email: rfrank@bqcm.org], www.bqcm.org.

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"SWAN LAKE": Moscow Festival Ballet presents the classic. \$30. 8 pm. Kingsborough Community College [2001 Oriental Blvd. at Oxford Street in Manhattan Beach, (718) 368-5596], www.onstageatkingsborough.org.

SUN, APRIL 21

DANCE, EARTH DAY AT SALT MARSH: Rededication of Salt Marsh Nature Trail, and Earth

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MUSIC, ONE-MAN MUSICAL: The Off-Broadway musical, "The Cotton Patch Gospel" is coming to St. Ann & the Holy Trinity Church in Brooklyn Heights. The one-man show, performed by Phillip Kaufmann, will raise money for programs that help fight hunger. \$10. 3 pm. St. Ann & the Holy Trinity Church [157 Montague St. in Brooklyn Heights, (718) 875-6960], www.stannholyltrinity.org. Music, Annual Brooklyn Folk Festival: 7 pm. See Friday, April 19.

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MON, APRIL 22

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TUES, APRIL 23

READING, "THIS IS HOW": Author Augusten Burroughs launches his new book. RSVP requested. **Free.** 7-9 pm. PowerHouse Arena [37 Main St. at Water Street in DUMBO, (718) 666-3049], www.powerhouse-arena.com.

WED, APRIL 24

DANCE, DANCE CLASS: The Federation of Italian American Organizations of Brooklyn (FIAO) is again sponsoring its popular free ballroom dance instruction for teens and seniors alike in its ballroom dance classes on Wednesday nights. Special bonus: the instructor will be Carmine "Big Screecher" Santa Maria. **Free.** 6 pm. I.S. 96 [99 Avenue P, between W. 11th and W. 12th streets in Gravesend, (718) 232-2266].

READING, EARTHQUAKE JOURNALIST: Featuring reporter for the Associated Press in Port-au-Prince, Haiti, Jonathan M. Katz and his new book "The Big Truck That Went By: How the World Came to Save Haiti and Left Behind a Disaster." **Free.** 6-9 pm. Five Myles Gallery [558 St. Johns Place in Crown Heights, (347) 565-4429], haiticulturalx.org/program-05.

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Jefferson's Lynch stars in Jordan Classic win

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Thomas Jefferson's Jaquan Lynch and his New York City teammates weren't about to let any out-of-towners spoil their day at the Jordan Brand Classic.

Lynch and the White team, made up of senior all-stars from across the five boroughs, trailed their Black team of metro-area counter-

parts for most of the regional game at the Barclays Center on Saturday night.

Lynch scored 14 points to go along with four assists and four rebounds and was a key part in his squad's 114-102 comeback win.

"We can't let some kids from Jersey come and beat us in our home town," Lynch said. "We weren't going to let

that happen."

His team trailed 91-84 with 8:00 left in the game before it started to heat up. Shore Shore's Shamiel Sheppard (12 points) buried a 3-pointer and Lynch connected with Curtis' Hassan Martin, the game's most valuable player, for an ally-oop slam.

Bushwick native and Christ the King guard Jon Severe added 16 points and five boards. Lynch then put the White team up for good at 96-94 with a 3-pointer from the right side with less than 4:00 to play in the game.

"I knew my shot was going to be falling," he said.

One thing that he isn't completely sure of is his commitment to Florida International University next fall. Lynch has not asked to be released from his National Letter of Intent with the school after coach Richard Pitino, son of Louisville head man Rick Pitino, recently took the head job at Minnesota.

Lynch, who led Jefferson to consecutive trips to the Public School Athletic League Class AA city title game, hasn't ruled that out decommitting in the future. He stated



HOMETOWN HERO: Jaquan Lynch of Thomas Jefferson sank 14 points for the New York team in the Regional Game of the Jordan Brand Basketball Classic at the Barclays Center on Saturday.

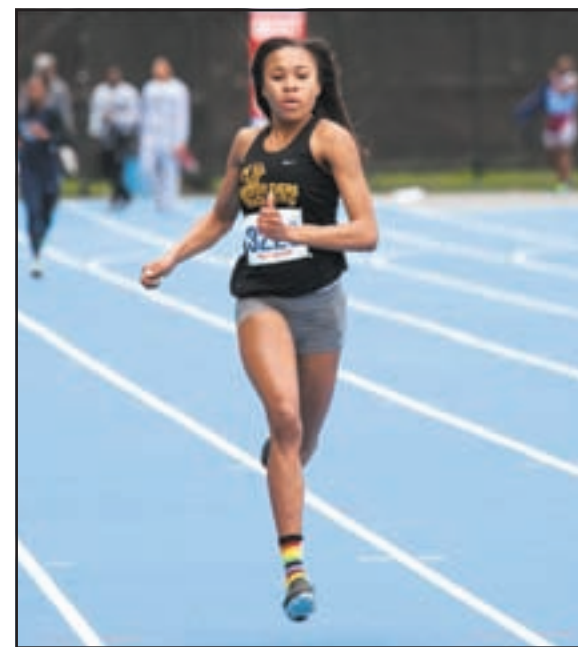
he is waiting to see whom Florida International hirers as coach.

"I'm still signed with Florida International, but it's not 100 percent," he said. "Anything can happen in these next two weeks."

The Jordan Brand Classic provided a

welcome distraction from that. A win was nice, but just being selected was an honor in itself.

"That means you did something," Lynch said. "It just feels good to be on the Barclays court, for my first time, hometown. I had fun out there."



OFF TO A GOOD START: Kadecia Baird, who has her eyes on the next summer Olympic games, won the girls 800-meter run at the 2013 NYC Mayor's Cup on Saturday. Photo by Ken Maldonado

Medgar Evers's Baird eyes the Rio Olympics

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Kadecia Baird hopes her first taste of international competition won't be her last.

In late March, the Medgar Evers track star represented her native Guyana in her first-ever Carifta Games in the Bahamas, which feature amateur athletes from Caribbean nations. Baird, the best 400-meter runner in the United States, even got to carry the Guyanese flag for the opening ceremony.

"It was an honor to walk in with my flag, representing my country," the unsigned senior said. "Not many people get that opportunity."

Baird now has her

sights set on a grander stage.

She said she is running for Guyana at the World Championship in Moscow from August 10-18 to get herself ready for a push to join her homeland's 2016 Olympic team in Rio de Janeiro. The more experience she gets, the better.

"It will open me up to running against people twice as old as me, and that's going to make me ready to run in the Olympics," Baird said. "I'm hoping I can do it in 2016."

She nearly made it in 2012 after running the Olympic B standard qualifying time of 52.14 seconds

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TAKING FLIGHT: MVP Hassan Martin of Curtis H.S. goes up for dunk in Saturday's Jordan Brand Basketball Classic. Photos by Robert Cole

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Mayors Cup runeth over

Lafayette's Edwards overcomes hamstring injury to win Mayors Cup gold

BY MIKE MORTON

Lafayette's Moses Edwards was really more concerned about his hamstring than about winning at the Mayor's Cup at Icahn Stadium on Saturday.

Nevertheless, after nursing a pulled right hamstring for the last month, Edwards did take home the boys long jump title by jumping 20 feet 7 inches, beating the next closest competitor by nearly a full inch.

Though good enough for the gold, Edwards knew his worries about his injury brought him up short of his personal best.

"I think I did all right, but I could have done much better with my takeoff," he said. "I was a little scared because of my leg. I held back a little bit."

Edwards, who pulled his hamstring while running on March 8, feels that Saturday's first-place finish is a good starting point for the rest of this season. For his season to be a success, however, he knows he's going to



SHINING STARS: Kadecia Baird, center, from Medgar Evers won first place in the 400 meters, while Sabrina Southerland, right, from Cardozo won second place and Briel Biggs, left, from Frederick Douglas, won third.

Photo by Ken Maldonado

have to regain trust in his hamstring.

"It feels good today, but it's still going to need a little more work to get back to my original jumps," Edwards said.

A successful day for

Brooklyn athletes included Boys & Girls's Keziann Jones winning gold in the girls shot put with a throw of 36 feet 11.25 inches. Although it wasn't her best result, she was happy to have proven herself against

competitors from the other boroughs.

"It means a lot [to get first place], because I want to be the best in the city," Jones said.

Shayla Broughton was the high jump champ with leap of 5 feet 6 inches, and took the 100-meter hurdles title in 15.16 seconds.

Sabrina Joseph won the girls long jump title by bounding 16 feet 4 inches. Paige Charles-Thompson took gold in the 100-meter dash in 12.35 seconds.

Medgar Evers's Kadecia Baird won both the 400- and 200-meter events, with times of 55.12 seconds and 24.17 seconds respectively, to highlight a big day for her and her team. But she felt she could have run faster.

"It's too cold," she said. "Next time I'll train harder and come back faster."

Tilden's Benjamin Fairweather won the boys 400-meters with a time of 49.94 seconds, with Bishop Ford's Michael Houston right behind him at 50.91 seconds.

Christ the King's Severe takes his own sweet time

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Patience has long been a crucial part of Jon Severe's career, and his college decision is no different.

The Bushwick native, who chose to wait his turn to star at Christ the King, is one of top unsigned seniors in New York State. Severe didn't focus on recruiting during the season. His mind was on his team as he led the Royals to the state Federation Class AA title.

The wait to pick a school has further put the spotlight on Severe. Reporters hound him at every opportunity to see if there is any update. None of it bothers the unflappable 6-foot-2 shooting guard.

"I don't think I could have handled the recruiting in a better way," Severe said.

His route was a bit unorthodox. He took four of his five official visits in the fall, well before he recently cut his list down to West Virginia, Pittsburgh, Seton Hall, Duquesne, Fordham and Wake Forest. Severe plans on announcing his decision at Christ the King's awards night on May 22.

"This will be the hardest decision of my life so I want to make the right decision," Severe said.

Choosing to wait left him with a smaller window to make that choice, but expanded his options from the host of mid-major programs that originally approached him. Duquesne has been there from the beginning, but the other five only began to recruit him hard over the winter as he averaged 21.6 points per game.

It's the same patience and persistence that has paid off over his last two years. His grandmother, Anna Johnson, whom Severe has lived with since



JOE KNOWS

by Joe Staszewski

the eighth grade, said he started getting impatient with his lack of playing time after his sophomore year. Royals head coach Joe Arbitello told him playing behind a host of Division-I-level guards would be worth it.

Severe bought in, made a name for himself as a junior, and was named the best senior in the state this season by earning Christ the King's first-ever New York State Mr. Basketball award. He was selected to play in the Jordan Classic regional all-star game at the Barclays Center last Saturday.

Johnson, who has been a major influence on Severe, assured him things would work out.

"I told him, 'You know you have one more year. Next year you are going to shine. You are going to be a star,'" Johnson said.

Where Severe will go to college is still uncertain, but history suggests he will make the right choice. The way he ends up there may not work for everyone, but it has certainly fit him perfectly.

"[My family] always tells me to follow my heart, don't listen to other people, do what's best for yourself," Severe said

Giordano takes the reigns at Midwood

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Michael Giordano spent the past three years being groomed to take over the Midwood girls lacrosse program, and now his time has come.

Legendary Hornets coach Paul "Chick" Chakrian, who started both the Midwood boys and girls programs, asked Giordano to join the team as an assistant coach three years ago and learn the game.

Giordano, who played soccer at Brooklyn College before teaching at Midwood, finally took over the reigns of the team this season, with Chakrian retiring from teaching at the end of this year.

"Chick has certainly laid the ground work for me and set the bar high," he said.

Though Chakrian will



CHICK-A-DEE: First-year Midwood girls lacrosse coach Michael Giordano takes over from his mentor, legendary Hornets coach Paul "Chick" Chakrian.

Photo by Steven Schnibbe

remain with the team as an assistant, the players said they were upset that Chakrian was stepping down as the headman.

Still, they do feel the much younger Giordano has brought a new energy to the program. He's able get out on the field in practice to

demonstrate moves and has a talent as a motivator.

"Gio has a way of pushing you to your limit," said senior Janae Headly. "You want to hate him, but you can't because you understand what he is doing is good for you. It's still nice to have Chick around. They work really well together."

The Hornets are off to a 2-2 start after a 10-5 win over host Benjamin Cardozo last week. They have replaced last year's leading goal scorers, Moriam Sotetan and Linhen Beltran, with a more balanced offense, something Giordano has implemented. Headly has been the leader so far with 11 goals, including four against Cardozo.

"If you look at our stats we have many assists,"

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BENCH PLAYERS: Brooklyn Nets Deron Williams, left, in street clothes, watches as teammates Tyshawn Taylor (41) and MarShon Brooks (9) celebrate after Taylor hit a three-point shot in the Nets 106-101 victory over the Washington Wizards. Photo from Associated Press / Kathy Willens

Net bench wins over Wizards

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On a night when four of the Brooklyn Nets' five starters rested, a low-stakes game against the Washington Wizards proved a magical wonderland for players that will mostly be stuck watching from the bench once the playoffs tip off.

Andray Blatche led a bevy of Brooklyn benchers with 20 points and 11 rebounds and the Nets erased an early 17-point deficit to beat the Wizards 106-101 on Monday night.

Before the game, Nets interim head P.J. Carlesimo read off a sheet that resembled a football injury report. However, he was proud of the way they managed to fight back.

"They fell in a hole early and they just kept plugging and plugging," he said. "They did a really good job. At times, our defense was lousy but we also got some big stops in the fourth quarter. They were working. We had a lot of individuals play hard. It was really nice to see."

Carlesimo used the game to gauge how forward Gerald Wallace would react after missing the last two games due to a heel injury that was listed as a lower left leg contusion by the teams.

"I thought he really looked good," Carlesimo said. "He's upset that he didn't play more, but the whole point was to get him out and get a little cardio work and make sure his foot was all right. We were pleased. Hopefully if he comes out of it well tomorrow,

we can play him more on Wednesday."

Carlesimo was also pleased with the way Kris Humphries played in 34 minutes and is expecting a significant contribution from him once the playoffs start. Humphries, who was the team's original starting power forward at the beginning of the season before falling out of the rotation, added 20 points and nine boards for Brooklyn.

"We're not going to be successful in the playoffs unless we get the Kris Humphries that we know," Carlesimo said. "It was a big step for him. The more time we can get him in and the more success he has, the better it's going to be."

Mirza Teletovic added 14 points and MarShon Brooks chipped in 12 for the Nets, who hosted Detroit on Wednesday night before they opened up at home in the first round of the Eastern Conference playoffs.

What threatened to become a lopsided win for Washington turned into a victory for the Nets, spearheaded in the second half by the seldom-used Brooklyn rookie trio of Teletovic, Tyshawn Taylor and Toko Shengelia. Shengelia, who has played 67 minutes all season, saw 25 minutes.

After Cartier Martin's 3-pointer made it 101-101 with 1:43 left, Blatche's layup gave Brooklyn the lead for good. Martin tried to tie it with another 3-pointer but missed and Taylor followed up with a 3-pointer of his own to make it 106-101 with 22 seconds left.

Blackbirds sweep rival Wagner

Star LIU hurler Vondrak shines in weekend double-header

BY MIKE MORTON

It was going to be a long day for the Long Island University softball team and ace Cassie Vondrak against Wagner.

The Blackbirds fell behind by four runs to the Seahawks before Vondrak recorded an out — after a first-inning grand slam by Wagner's Abigail Beasley.

The early onslaught prompted LIU coach Roy Kortmann to visit Vondrak in the circle to calm her down.

Whatever he said worked.

Vondrak responded by allowing only one more unearned run in a 6-5, nine-inning Northeast Conference victory over visiting Wagner in the first game of a double-header sweep on Sunday.

The victory was one of three she picked up over the weekend.

"At that point I still had confidence in my team that we were going to come back and win it no matter what, so I had to just keep going out there and pitching to get it done," Vondrak said.

The first game against Wagner (9-30, 2-12) gave Vondrak confidence heading into the nightcap, where she again threw a complete game in a 5-1 victory. At one point,



WIN MILL: LIU pitcher Cassie Vondrak winds up during the team's 6-5 win over Wagner College on April 14. Photo by Elizabeth Graham

Vondrak had retired 23 straight batters, spanning both games. She threw seven innings, allowing just one run on four hits and recorded three strikeouts.

"I felt pretty confident after the first game," she said.

Sunday's two wins capped off a busy weekend for the redshirt junior, who pitched both games of a double header the day before against Bryant. In a span of 48 hours, Vondrak threw three complete games — all wins — and threw more than 400 total pitches.

"I'm a little tired," Vondrak joked, "but I'm going strong still."

The Blackbirds, the defending conference champions, couldn't have come away with the victories without help from the offense. In the opener they chipped away at the early deficit before tying the score at 5-5 in the bottom of the fifth when Nichole Toven scored on a wild pitch.

LIU (12-31, 8-4) failed to cash in on a bases-loaded situation with one out in the bottom of the seventh, and the game went to extra innings. The Blackbirds won on a single to right field by Toven in the ninth.

"With runners in scoring position, I always want to try and go the opposite way, just tap it in play and not try to do too much," she said.

The bats came through in the second game as well. Nicole Archer launched a line drive homerun over the centerfield wall in the second inning to give LIU a 1-0 lead.

A two-RBI double from Madison Green in the fourth extended the lead to 3-1. Celinna Cosio also added two RBIs in the win, on singles in the fourth and sixth inning.

"It was a gritty day for us," said Kortmann.

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Giordano said. "Many of our goals are spread out."

One of their biggest assets has been the emergence of senior goalie Basma Attieh, who spent much of her career playing behind the graduated Brittney Lee. Attieh made 14

saves against Cardozo and showed great instinct in the cage. She and Liz Sangadzhiev have been major leaders on defense.

"While I've been here for the last four years, but I never experienced being in the game that much," Attieh said. "It's been so much more energy and adrenaline."

The Midwood players want to harness that excitement to finally break

through to the finals after losing the last five seasons in the semis.

Last year's 15-14 defeat to Curtis in triple overtime was especially heartbreaking. They have added motivation this year.

"It was crushing," Heedly said. "This year it was kind of like, 'We are doing this for Chick since he is not coaching any more, and we are doing it for the seniors.'"

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— the best by any Guyanese female that year — but Baird missed out because the nation had already chosen three-time Olympian Ailann Pompey to compete that year, based on her time of 51.66 seconds from July of 2011.

Baird is still rounding into form

early in the outdoor season. She finished third in the Under-20 400-meters at the Carifta Games with a time of 54.28 seconds in her first outdoor race of the season.

Baird followed that up by winning the event at the Mayor's Cup on Saturday in 55.12 seconds and taking home the 200-meter crown with a time of 24.17 seconds.

She had hoped to be closer to her personal best of 51.04 seconds, but

the extreme change in weather from the Bahamas to New York didn't help, and she hasn't been training with the intensity she would like. But Baird was still glad she got to test herself in international competition to begin to prepare herself for the Olympics.

"I'm happy to have the experience so I can know what international feels like when I have to compete," Baird said.

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NOTICE SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY Docket No.1190-13 To: Augusto Galindo Melendez By order of the Superior Court of New Jersey, in a cause of action for divorce seeking dissolution of the marriage pending before the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, Family Part, Bergen County, Civil Action, wherein a complaint has been filed where **Ada Maradiaga** is the Plaintiff and you are the Defendant, you are requested to answer the Plaintiff's complaint on or before **Friday, May 24, 2013 to Ada Maradiaga 10 Sampson Street, Unit 209, Saddle Brook, NJ 07663 (646) 319-6670** by filing with proof of Service in duplicate with the Clerk of the Superior Court, Family Part, Ber-

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gen County Courthouse, 10 Main Street, Room 119, Hackensack, New Jersey 07601 and if you fail to answer, an appropriate judgment shall be returned against you. If you are unable to obtain an attorney, you may communicate with the Bergen County Lawyer Referral Service (201) 488-0044. If you cannot afford an attorney you may communicate with Northeast New Jersey Legal Services, 190 Moore Street, Hackensack, NJ 07601, (201) 487-2166. This action is to obtain a Divorce.

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SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF Kings, Central Mortgage Company, Plaintiff, vs. Elizabeth Griffith, ET AL., Defendant(s). Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly filed on December 07, 2012, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Kings County Supreme Court, Room 224, 360 Adams Street, Brooklyn, NY on May 02, 2013 at 2:30 p.m., premises known as 195 Legion Street, Brooklyn, NY. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, Block 3553 and Lot 17. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index # 19445/09. Stafford Liss, Esq., Referee-Berkman, Henoch, Peterson, Peddy & Fenchel, P.C., 100 Garden City Plaza, Garden City, NY 11530, Attorneys for Plaintiff BG 4x 3/29, 4/5, 12, 19, 2013.

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK - COUNTY OF KINGS INDEX # 17386/11 FILED: 4/9/2013 SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS AND NOTICE Plaintiff designates Kings County as the place of trial. Venue is based upon the County in which the mortgage premise is situated. WATERFALL VICTORIA MORTGAGE

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TRUST 2010-1, Plaintiff against Unknown heirs at law of NORMA A. WHITE-LOCKE, and if they be dead, any and all persons unknown to the plaintiff, claiming, or who may claim to have an interest in, or generally or specific lien upon the real property described in this action; such unknown persons being herein generally described and intended to be included in the following designation, namely: the wife, widow, husband, widower, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assignees of such deceased, any and all persons deriving interest in or under them, or either of them, and their respective wives, widows, husbands, widowers, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assignees, all of them whom and whose names, except as stated, are unknown to the plaintiff; The People of the State of New York, and "JOHN DOE #1," through "JOHN DOE #12," the last twelve names being fictitious and unknown to plaintiff, the persons or parties intended being the tenants, occupants, persons or corporations, if any, having or claiming an interest in or lien upon the premises being foreclosed herein, Defendant(s)

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: NOTICE YOU ARE IN DANGER OF LOSING YOUR HOME IF YOU DO NOT RESPOND TO THIS SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEYS FOR THE MORTGAGE COMPANY WHO FILED THIS FORECLOSURE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT, A DEFAULT JUDGMENT MAY BE ENTERED AND YOU CAN LOSE YOUR HOME. SPEAK TO AN ATTORNEY OR GO TO THE COURT WHERE YOU CASE IS PENDING FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON HOW TO ANSWER THE SUMMONS AND PROTECT YOUR PROP-

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ERTY. SENDING A PAYMENT TO YOUR MORTGAGE COMPANY WILL NOT STOP THIS FORECLOSURE ACTION. YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT. YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not serviced with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance on the Plaintiff's attorney within 20 days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service (or within 30 days after the service is complete if this summons is not personally delivered to you within the State of New York); The United States of America, if designated as a Defendant in this action, may appear within (60) days of service thereof and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint. NOTICE OF NATURE OF ACTION AND RELIEF SOUGHT: THE OBJECT of the above captioned action is to foreclose on a mortgage which was recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings where the property is located on October 24, 2006, in Liber/Reel/Book/Instrument / C R F N 200600059412 of Mortgages. Said mortgage was then assigned from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Resmae Mortgage Corporation to Sutton Funding, LLC, and the assignment of mortgage was dated June 18, 2009 and recorded in the Clerk's Office where the property is located on July 7, 2009 in Liber/Reel/Book/Instrument / C R F N 2009000204986 of Mortgages. Said Mortgage was then assigned from Sutton Funding, LLC to Plaintiff, and the Assignment of Mortgage was dated July 6, 2011; and recorded in the Clerk's Office where the property is located on August 16, 2011 in Li-

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ber/Reel/Book/Instrument / C R F N 2011000288071 of Mortgages, covering premises known as 642 East 105th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11236 (Block: 08173 Lot: 57). The relief sought in the within action is a final judgment directing the sale of the premises described above to satisfy the debt described above. To the above named Defendants: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of the Hon. Martin M. Solomon, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated March 6, 2013 and filed along with the supporting papers in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on March 14, 2013. This is an action to foreclose on a mortgage. ALL that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York. BLOCK: 08173 LOT: 57 said premises known as 642 East 105th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11236. YOU ARE HEREBY PUT ON NOTICE THAT WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. By reason of the default in the payment of the monthly installment of principal and interest, among other things, as hereinafter set forth, Plaintiff, the holder and owner of the aforementioned note and mortgage, or their agents have elected and hereby accelerate the mortgage and declare the entire mortgage indebtedness immediately due and payable. The following amounts are now due and owing on said mortgage, no part of any of which has been paid although duly demanded: Entire principal Balance in the amount of \$382,500.00 with interest from October 1, 2006 at the current interest rate of 9.035%. UNLESS YOU DISPUTE THE VALIDITY OF THE DEBT, OR ANY PORTION THEREOF, WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER YOUR RE-

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CEIPT HEREOF THAT THE DEBT, OR ANY PORTION THEREOF, IS DISPUTED, THE DEBTOR JUDGMENT AGAINST YOU AND A COPY OF SUCH VERIFICATION OR JUDGMENT WILL BE MAILED TO YOU BY THE HEREIN DEBT COLLECTOR. IF APPLICABLE, UPON YOUR WRITTEN REQUEST, WITHIN SAID THIRTY (30) DAY PERIOD, THE HEREIN DEBT COLLECTOR WILL PROVIDE YOU WITH THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE ORIGINAL CREDITOR. IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED A DISCHARGE FROM THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT, YOU ARE NOT PERSONALLY LIABLE FOR THE UNDERLYING INDEBTEDNESS OWED TO PLAINTIFF/CREDITOR AND THIS NOTICE/DIS-CLOSURE IS FOR COMPLIANCE AND INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY. HELP FOR HOMEOWNERS IN FORECLOSURE New York State requires that we send you this notice about the foreclosure process. Please read it carefully. SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT You are in danger of losing your home. If you fail to respond to the summons and complaint in this foreclosure action, you may lose your home. Please read the summons and complaint carefully. You should immediately contact an attorney or your local legal aid office to obtain advice on how to protect yourself. SOURCES OF INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE The State encourages you to become informed about your options in foreclosure. In addition to seeking assistance from an attorney or legal aid, there are government agencies, and non-profit organizations that you may contact for information about possible options, including trying to work with your lender during this process. To locate an entity near you, you may call the toll-free helpline maintained by New York state Banking Department at 1-877-Bank-NYS or visit the Department's website at www.banking.state.ny.us FORECLOSURE RESCUE SCAMS Be careful of people who approach you with offers to "save" your

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home. There are individuals who watch for notices of foreclosure actions in order to unfairly profit from a homeowner's distress. You should be extremely careful about any such promises and any suggestions that you pay them a fee or sign over your deed. State law requires anyone offering such services for profit to enter into a contract which fully describes the services they will perform and fees they will charge, and which prohibits them from taking any money from you until they have completed all such promised services. Section 1303 NOTICE YOU ARE IN DANGER OF LOSING YOUR HOME If you do not respond to this summons and complaint by serving the copy of the answer on the attorney for the mortgage company who filed this foreclosure proceeding against you and filing the answer with the court, a default judgment may be entered and you may lose your home. Speak to an attorney or go to the court where your case is pending for further information on how to answer the summons and protect your property. Sending a payment to your mortgage company will not stop this foreclosure action. YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING AN ANSWER WITH THE COURT. SHELDON MAY & ASSOCIATES, Attorneys at Law, 255 Merrick Road, Rockville Centre, NY 11570 Our File #21606

LEGAL NOTICE

Kosciuszko Bridge Design-Build Project. Phase 1 D900011 PIN: X731.24 Brooklyn / Queens The New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT) is seeking Design-Build services to complete Phase 1 of the Kosciuszko Bridge Project. The Project involves the construction of a new 1.1-mile long eastbound (or Queens-bound) bridge structure, which will be built parallel to and on the eastbound side of the

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existing bridge with sufficient width to carry all traffic until Phase 2 of the project is complete. The Project will also include the demolition of the existing Kosciuszko Bridge. Phase 1 will allow the Department to shift all traffic off the existing bridge and onto the new eastbound bridge structure. Phase 2, which will involve the construction of a new westbound (Brooklyn-bound) bridge structure built within the footprint of the existing Kosciuszko Bridge, will be issued as a separate future contract. More information is available at <https://www.dot.ny.gov/kbridge/design-build> Contact Information: Peter Russell Office of Contracts Management New York State Department of Transportation 50 Wolf Road, 6th Floor Albany, New York 12232, USA e-mail: Peter.Russell@dot.ny.gov BG1X 4/19/13

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Notice of Lien Sale:

On Thursday, April 18th, 2013 at 4:00p.m., Secure Self Storage, located at 2829 West 21st Street, Brooklyn, NY 11224, will hold a lien sale. The contents of the storage units listed below will be sold for cash to the highest bidder. Contents are household goods, furniture, etc. For more information please call (718) 266-2600. Unit 1018 Alexandra Alieva, 1023 Avigail Lazarovitch, 1037 Cheyanne Ferguson, 1045 Jan Ford, 1051 Jennifer Santiago, 1060 Manuel Mayas, 2001 Margaret Perkins, 2067 Richard Vabre, 2124 Andrei Ivanov, 2221 Clarence James, 2223 Yuliya Tikhonova, 2238 Farrakhan Muhammad, 2250 Richard Vabre, 2303 Olga Grebennikova, 2338 Deondra Macfoy, 3018 Mekeba Eaddy, 3039 Edwin Rodriguez, 3046 Ricardo Orellana, 3047 Ricardo Orellana, 3105 Barbara Tookes, 3214 Kwamin Ferguson, 3215 Aujaiik Smith, 3285 Natalya Shayhket, 3311 James Blackwell, 3385 Yamilet Ramirez, 3427 Junior A. Lugo.

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Sealed bids will be received as set forth in instructions to bidders until 10:30 a.m. on May 16, 2013 at the NYSDOT, Contract Management Bureau, 50 WOLF RD, 1ST FLOOR, SUITE 1CM, ALBANY, NY 12232 and will be publicly opened and read. A certified or cashier's check payable to the NYS Dept. of Transportation for the sum specified in the proposal or a bid bond, FORM CONR 391, representing 25% of the bid total, must accompany each bid. Bids may also be submitted via the internet using Bid Express (www.bidx.com). NYSDOT reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Electronic documents can be obtained from the NYSDOT Plan Sales Unit, 50 Wolf Road, 1st Floor, Suite 1PS, Albany, NY 12232, (518)457-2124; the Region of record; or Bid Express. No Amendments are included on the CD. Amendments are posted at www.dot.ny.gov/doing-business/opportunities/const-notice and Bid Express. The Contractor is responsible for ensuring that all Amendments are incorporated into its bid. NYS Finance Law restricts communication with NYSDOT on procurements and contact can only be made with designated persons. Contact with non-designated persons or other involved Agencies will be considered a serious matter and may result in disqualification. Contracts with 0% Goals are generally single operation contracts, where subcontracting is not expected, and may present direct bidding opportunities for Small Business Firms, including, but not limited to, D/W/MBEs. The Contractor must comply with the Regulation relative to non-discrimination in federally-assisted programs of the USDOT 49 CFR 21. Please call (518) 457-3583 if a reasonable accommodation is needed to participate in the letting. BIDDERS SHOULD BE ADVISED THAT AWARD OF THESE CONTRACTS MAY BE CONTINGENT UPON THE PASSAGE OF A BUDGET APPROPRIATION BILL BY THE LEGISLATURE

AND GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK Reg. 10, Subi Chakraborti, Regional Director, NYS Office Building, Veterans Memorial Highway, Hauppauge, NY 11788 D262308, PIN 0808.23, D.A. Proj. , Nassau & Suffolk Cos., Extension of Existing Acceleration Lanes on Various Parkways, Work Includes Asphalt Concrete & PCC Pavement Construction, Drainage and ITS work., Bid Deposit \$750,000.00, Plans on CDs \$10, plus \$8 Postage. THIS CONTRACT REQUIRES NIGHT TIME WORK. Goals: DBE 5% BG 2X 4/19, 26, 2013.

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1121 AVENUE Y LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/11/12. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Fair, Fitzgerald & Hershaf, P.C., 110 Corporate Park Dr., White Plains, NY 10604. General Purposes.

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122-130 DEER PARK AVENUE, LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 2/16/2000. Office in Kings Co. SSNY design. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 45 John St., Ste. 711, NY, NY 10038, which is also the address of the registered agent, Spiegel & Utrera, P.A., P.C., upon whom service against the LLC may be made. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Latest dissolve date: 11/14/2030. Principal business location: 122-130 Deer Park Ave., Babylon, NY.

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1244 ALBANY AVENUE HOLDING, LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/5/12. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY

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shall mail process to: Marie Kripanidhi, P.O. Box 427, Lanesville, NY 12450. General Purposes.

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219-221 27TH AVENUE LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 2/5/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 221 27th Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11214. General Purposes.

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2762 BATH AVENUE LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/11/12. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Fair, Fitzgerald & Hershaf, P.C., 110 Corporate Park Dr., White Plains, NY 10604. General Purposes.

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2766 BATH AVENUE LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/11/12. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Fair, Fitzgerald & Hershaf, P.C., 110 Corporate Park Dr., White Plains, NY 10604. General Purposes.

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4 SITE ENTERPRISES, LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 3/20/13. Office in Kings Co. SSNY design. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 346 East 18th St., Brooklyn, NY 11226, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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578 STERLING LLC Art. Of Org. Filed Sec. of State of NY 02/08/2013. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. SSNY designated as agent upon whom process

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against it may be served. SSNY to mail copy of process to The LLC, 2042 W. 4TH Street, Brooklyn, NY 11223. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

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597 MANHATTAN AVENUE ASSOCIATES LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 2/11/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 599 Manhattan Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11222. General Purposes.

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611 Nostrand Avenue, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/5/13. Office in Kings County. SSNY designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 1920 Coney Island Ave. Ste 2, Brooklyn, NY 11230. Purpose: General.

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ALL BOROUGH PARTY RENTALS LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 3/1/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Lukasz Szczygiel, 176 Huron St., Apt. 3, Brooklyn, NY 11222. General Purposes.

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BARE KNUCKLE LIFE LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 11/27/12 Office in Kings Co. SSNY design. Agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to Francisco Hernandez 772 Woolley Ave., Staten Island, NY 10314. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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BAY RIDGE AVENUE SECURITY LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 1/18/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process

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against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: John Behan, 1070 Bay Ridge Ave., Apt. 2, Brooklyn, NY 11209. General Purposes.

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BombusLoni LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 2/20/13. Office in Kings Co. SSNY design. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 138 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11201. Purpose: To engage in the business of Real Estate Holding and Management as well as any lawful purpose.

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CHERYL CLEMENTS CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHETIST PLLC, a domestic PLLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 2/4/13. Office location: Kings. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the PLLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The PLLC, 46 S 2nd St., Apt. 4D, Brooklyn, NY 11249. Purpose: Registered Professional Nursing

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CRIMINAL LLC Art. Of Org. Filed Sec. of State of NY on 01/30/2013. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. Timothy Michael Lasalle designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY to mail copy of process to The LLC, 3558 12th Ave., Apt # 2, Brooklyn, NY 11218. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

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DB GARAGE 1 LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/24/12. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 242 Warren St., Brooklyn, NY 11201. General Purposes.

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DB GARAGE 2 LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/24/12. Office location: Kings County.

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SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 242 Warren St., Brooklyn, NY 11201. General Purposes.

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FARKS CUSTOM PERFORMANCE, LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 1/15/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 811 66th St., Brooklyn, NY 11220. General Purposes.

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Franklin Tov LLC Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/12/13. Office in Kings County. SSNY designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 199 Lee Ave., Ste. 318, Brooklyn, NY 11211. Purpose: General.

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GLAMOUR BEAUTY SALON LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 3/4/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 5513 12th Ave., Ste. 100, Brooklyn, NY 11219. General Purposes.

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HARBOR TECH MEZZ LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/19/12. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Noam Corporation, 5210 16th Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11204. General Purposes.

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HERE COMES THE TIE LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 02/25/2013. Office loc: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as

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agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Kacey Micone, 360 Furman Street - Unit 634, Brooklyn, NY 11201. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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HIGH CLEAR MEDIA LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 2/27/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 4621 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11235. General Purposes.

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IBOM LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 2/4/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 160 Lexington Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11216. General Purposes.

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IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF THE GWINNETT JUDICIAL CIRCUIT STATE OF GEORGIA IN THE INTEREST OF: S.A.J.

Case No.: 12-04032
Minor child under the age of eighteen years.
NOTICE OF SUMMONS
GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES, acting by and through the GWINNETT COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND CHILDREN SERVICES, PETITIONER

TO: SHARON ANDREWS, the biological mother of the above-named child, whose address and whereabouts are unknown.

You are hereby notified that a Petition for Deprivation has been filed by the Gwinnett County Department of Family and Children Services, the present temporary custodian of the above-named child. You may obtain a copy of the Motion from the Clerk of this Court at 115 Stone Mountain Street, Lawrenceville, Georgia during regular business hours, or a copy

will be mailed to you at your request.

You are further notified that a hearing thereon will be held before this Court on April 11, 2013 at 8:30 a.m. You are required to appear and answer the allegations of the Petition at said hearing. Findings of fact and orders of disposition will become final at the hearing.

You have the right to be represented by legal counsel. If you are unable to employ legal counsel without undue financial hardship, the Court will appoint counsel to represent you. If you desire to have an attorney appointed to represent you, you should advise the Court of such need prior to the hearing. Witness the Honorable Stephen E. Franzén, Judge of said Court, this 16th day of November, 2012.

Sheila Williams
Clerk of Court

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iwillpro LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 4/3/13. Office in Kings Co. SSNY design. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 2343 East 1st St., Brooklyn, NY 11223. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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LOYAL FRIEND PET GROUP LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/17/12. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 464 Ave. U, Brooklyn, NY 11223. General Purposes.

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MARYSE BRAND LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 02/14/2013. Office loc: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 586 11th St., Brooklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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Name of Foreign LLC: The X&O Accelerator Company, LLC. Authority filed with NY Dept. of State: 3/29/13. Office loc.: Kings Co. LLC formed in DE: 10/8/12. NY 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. DE addr. of LLC: 108 W. 13th St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Cert. of Form. filed with DE Sec. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful act.

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Name of LLC: 140 Rodney Street, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 3/23/2004. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: 140 Rodney St., Apt. 1D, Brooklyn, NY 11211. Term: until 3/23/2103. Purpose: any lawful act.

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Notice of Formation of 269 WITHERS STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 01/28/13. Office location: Kings County. Princ. office of LLC: 75-20 Penelope Ave., Middle Village, NY 11379. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, c/o Franciszka Cielepak, 75-20 Penelope St., Middle Village, NY 11379. As amended by Cert. of Change filed with SSNY on 03/06/13, process addr. of LLC is: Franciszka Cielepak, c/o the LLC, 75-20 Penelope Ave., Middle Village, NY.... 11379. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of 2M2J LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 02/22/13. Office location: Kings County. Princ. office of LLC: Michael A. Kaye, 838 Union St., Brooklyn, NY 11215. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom

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process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC at the princ. office of the LLC. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of 481 9th Street LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 11/14/12. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: 637 10th St., Brooklyn, NY 11215, principal business address. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of 637 10th Street LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 11/14/12. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: 637 10th St., Brooklyn, NY 11215, principal business address. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of AAC 442 Fulton LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 12/27/12. 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 David Kriss, Esq., Kriss & Feuerstein, 360 Lexington Ave., NY, NY, 10017, the Reg. Agt. upon whom proc. may be served. Purpose: any lawful activities.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of Beth Yurman, Psy.D., PLLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/11/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 7014 13 Ave. #202, Bklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of DES Marketing Group, LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/27/12. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of Handy Matt Construction, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 2/15/13. 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 LLC, 23 East 3rd St., Apt. 2, Brooklyn, NY 11218, principal business address. Purpose: all lawful purposes.

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Notice of Formation of HKO EMPIRE LLC Art. Of Org. filed with SSNY 3/19/13. Office Location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent for process. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to: c/o The LLC, 12 Hall St., Ste. 200, Brooklyn, NY 11205. Purpose: To engage in any lawful act or activity.

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Notice of Formation of IDEA ENGINE PRODUCTIONS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/20/13. Office location: Kings County. Princ. office of LLC: 567 Bay Ridge Pkwy., #2, Brooklyn, NY 11209. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Tarter Krinsky & Drogin LLP, 1350 Broadway, 11th Fl., NY, NY 10018. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF JACQUELINE FREEMAN, LCSW, P.L.L.C. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/6/12. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent for ser-

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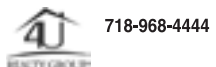
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Parquet Flrs, Full Fin Bsmnt
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Prvt Parking for 3 Cars,
Nice Bkyrd, Walk to Trans,
Shops & Schools.



**BERGEN BEACH
Sun, Apr 21 1-3pm
2019 ROYCE St
S/D 2 family offers 2
S/L apts each with 3 br
and 1.5 baths, 1 car
garage, private drive &
finished bsmnt on
oversized 30 x 139
property. Selling "as
is" needs TLC.
**Asking \$679,000
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**Canarsie
Sat 04/20 2-4pm
Sun 04/21 2-4pm
1511 East 98
Ave M & Ave N
Back on the market 2
fam s/d brick on
30x100 4 bdrms
duplex over 2 bdrm
over fin w.i. & gar. Pvt
dwy for 4 cars **Asking
\$590K. FIN# 329031
Fillmore Real Estate
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**EAST FLATBUSH
Sat, 4/20/13
Sun, 4/21/13
1-4 PM
296 East 38th St
BEAUTY!!!**

Beautiful Renov 2 Fam
Brick in Prime E. Flat-
bush area. 2/2 w/ fin
walk in bsmnt. Close to
everything. Easy to
show. A Must See!!
ASK: \$479K



**FLATBUSH
286 East 38st
Sat 4/20 3pm-5pm
Church Ave &
Snyder Ave
New Construction
3 fam brick, 3 bdrms over
3 bdrms over 2 bdrms,
Hwd flrs, LRG (over
1,000sf) apts, private park-
ing, balcony, each,unit has
own boiler & hot water
heater. **Fin#208084
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**FLATBUSH
Sat, 4/20/13
12-3 PM
512 East 29TH
(Foster & Farragut)**

This is a 2 family con-
verted from a 1 family
house, with 2/1 BR,
2 full baths, with a
rentable full fin bsmnt,
backyard for relaxation
& cook outs. property
close to all. **\$430K**



**Georgetown
Sun 4/21/13 1-3 pm
1175 East 72nd
Street-Ave K/Ave L
Investors Delight!!
Oversized corner s/d
brick split level, 6.5
over 6.5 over 3.5, walk
in studio, finished
basement, pool,
garage, \$700s
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Open House
April 20th 12-3pm
April 21st 12-4pm
854 Herkimer St.**

Renovated 2 family
house, 2 bedroom, 2
bath Duplex. Plus 2
bedroom apartment.
Hardwood floors, ex-
posed brick, backyard.
**Asking \$579K
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Brownstone Realty
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**BERGEN BEACH
Sat Apr 20th 1-3pm
Sun Apr 21st 3-4:30pm
2038 East 72ND ST
RENO 3 BDRM DUPLEX
W/modern kitchen and
inviting LR, bsmnt is unfin-
ished but is all open, very
clean & can easily be
finished, LG b/y. Conven-
ient to award winning
schools, restaurants,
parks & shops. **BB1691
Asking \$399,000
718-763-4110****



**BERGEN BEACH
Sun, Apr 21st 1-3pm
2017 EAST 71 St
UPDATED SEMI
ATTACHED 3 br duplex
over fin bsmnt features new
kitchen tiled flrs & hwd fls
thru out, new tiled bath,
replaced windows, fin
bsmt, young roof as well
as new cement work .
**Asking \$449,000
BB1759
718-763-4110****



**Canarsie
Sun 04/21 from 1-3pm
1341 East 80th St
Bet Ave M & Ave N
Huge 2 fam S/D brick- 3
bdrm 2 baths over 3
bdrms 2 baths - Much
more rm to spare.
Custom kit all appls new
roof, hrdwd floors, two ter-
races-one car gar + park-
ing for 4 cars- excel cond.
Price for quick sale- must
see. **Asking \$649K.
FIN # 329036,
Fillmore Real Estate
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**EAST FLATBUSH
Sun, 4/21/13
2-5 PM
286 East 39TH
(Church & Synder)
PRICE BREAK!!!
Beautiful New
Construction!
2 Family consist of 2 BR
Duplex over 4 BR Duplex
& full basement. Private
driveway & close to
schools & transportation.
ASKING: \$450K**



**FLATBUSH
365 East 28st
Sat 4/20 1:00-3:00pm
Bet: Clarendon Rd
& Avenue D
New Construction
3 Family 3 bdrms over 3
bdrms over 2 bdrms each
with 2 baths with separate
heating and, hot water for
each unit. Hwd floors, SS
appls. Granite counters.
Private parking.
**Fin#208087
Fillmore RE
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**Flatlands
3613 Ave M
Between E 36th &
E 37th St
Sat 4/20 12-2:30pm
Sun 4/21 12:30-2:30pm
Spacious Two family
with 3 bdrm Duplex.
Fully Finished bsmnt
with 3/4 bath.
Community Drive 1 car
garage. All appliances
stay. **Fin# 2080983
Fillmore RE
718-922-2200****

**Gravesend
OPEN HOUSE
Sun., 4/21 1-3pm
2658 Hubbard St
(off Ave Z)
2 family brick, at-
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over 1 bedroom. Gar-
age. Large yard. Good
condition!
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private drive, deck & yard
Asking \$445,000

East Flatbush OPEN HOUSE
Saturday, April 20th • 1:00-3:00pm
Sunday April 21st • 12:00-2:00pm
1655 Flatbush Avenue Apt. #C1605
(bet. Ave. H & I)
Magnificent Co-Op Apts. with Terr, Laundry Area,
24 Hour Doorman Asking \$129,000

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Sunday April 21st • 1:00-3:00pm
3215 Avenue H Apt. #10D
(Bet) East 31st St. & East 32nd St.
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Laundry Area, 24 Hour Doorman.
Asking \$149,999

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2 BR Condo, 2 Baths, Balcony, Storage Space,
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(E.33rd & E.34th)
Steps to Park-Large
1 fam brick. Spacious
3 bdrm duplex w/1.5
baths, semi-fin bsmt.
Central A/C. Front
porch w/view of park.
Prvt drive, garage,
prvt yard. \$499,000



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and garage. Renovate
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Sun. Apr 21st
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w open kitchen & DR, slid-
ers to yard, parquet flrs, full
fin bsmt w separate entr,
pvt dr & 1 car garage. 1
block from the park.
Exclusive!!!
Asking \$465,000



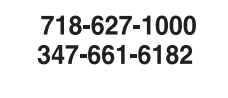
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MARINE PARK
Sun, Apr 21 1-3pm
2007 KIMBALL St
MOVE RIGHT IN to
this att brick 1 family
offering 2 lg brs, fin
bsmt w bath, private
drive & garage.
Asking \$459,000
BB1817
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Madison OPEN HOUSE
SUNDAY 4/21
2-4 PM
1469 EAST 24th ST.
(Aves O & N)
1 fam det 3 BR dplx, extra
lrg LR, DR, granite k kitch
leading to bkdy, 35x100 lot,
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in elevator bldg. LR, DR,
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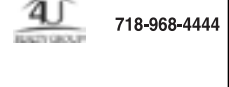


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SUN, APRIL 21, 1-3 PM
107 INDIANA PLACE
BEST LOCATION!!!
1 Fam Det Split Featuring
4BRs, 3 Bathrms, Formal
LR & DR, Lrg Eat-In Kitch,
Den w/ Fireplace, Fin Bsmt
w/ Sliders to Large Bkyrd.
Asking \$1,099,000



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MILL BASIN OPEN HOUSE
SUN, APRIL 21, 1-3 PM
2210 NATIONAL DRIVE
Waterfront Mini-Mansion
Recently Gut Renovated,
6 BRs, Custom Kitch w/
Granite Counters, Gourmet
Applis, Vaulted Trey Ceils,
4 Euro Custom Baths,
Jacuzzis, Stone & Radiant
Htd Flrs, Custom Windows
& Doors, All Jerusalem
Stone, Custom Exter, Htd
Inground Salt Wtr Pool,
New Bulkhead & Boat Slip,
Must See!!
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Mill Basin
Sun 4/21/13 1-3 pm
2323 east 66th
Street-off Whitman
Drive
Fully renov detached
waterview 1 family
high ranch, 40x100, 4
bdrms, 3 new baths,
new EIK, beautifully
finished walk in bsmt
with 2 fireplaces, doors
leading to huge bkdy,
garage, private drive
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Mill Basin
Sun 4/21/13 1-3 pm
2723 East 66th
Street-56th Dr &
National Dr
DETACHED CUSTOM
40x100 1 family, 4 bdrms,
3 gorgeous baths, large
gourmet kitchen, hard
wood flrs, plenty of
closets, sliders to patio &
lovely manicured yard, 1
car garage, 3 car private
parking
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Mill Basin
Sun 4/21 1-3 pm
6202 Ave T-corner off
Mill Ave
Fully detached corner
1 fam duplex, 3bdms,
1.5 bths, updated EIK,
parquet flrs, new
windows, fin bsmt with
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Drive-56th Dr &
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Detached colonial, 6000
sqft, 5 bds, 3 bths,
oversized EIK, extended
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quarters, 2 zone a/c, deck,
dock, garage,
A MUST SEE!!!!
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Mill Basin WATERVIEW
Sun 4/21/13 1-3 pm
2655 National Drive
off Arkansas Dr
3 story custom Colonial, 5
bdms, 4 bths, new top of
the line kit, lrg living rm &
dining rm, 9 ft ceilings,
oversized den, gym,
sauna, sunroom, 3 frplces,
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FROM 12-2 PM
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SATURDAY 4/20
1-3 PM
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(Ave T)
1 family det + full bsmt,
prvt drv. Needs TLC.
Asking \$289K.
Call Broker
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OLD MILL BASIN
Sat, 4/20/13
Sun, 4/21/13
12-3 PM
4508 Ave L
(E. 45 & E. 46 St)
NEW LISTING!!!
2 Family Attached
3 over 3 Bedrooms,
Eat In Kitchen,
Living & Dining Rm,
Finished Bsmt.
Ask: \$450K



OLD MILL BASIN
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5314 Ave O
(2ND Flr)
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owners enjoy a 3 br du-
plex w 1.5 baths, hdwd
flrs, full sz bsmt w great
potential, 1 br walk-in ho-
spitality suite, new roof,
windows, boiler & HWH.
Price Reduced!
Asking \$675,000 BB1803
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Sheepshead Bay CO-OP OPEN HOUSE
SUNDAY 4/21
12-3 PM
2600 EAST 21st ST.
APT. 7-H
1 Bdrm corner co-op on
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w/ huge windows. Custom
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Terrace, 2 Car Prvt
Parking, Good Cond.
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New Bath, 100%
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& hers closets,
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3 Bedroom Realty -
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3 BR Dup., FDR, lg LR, FDR, EIK, full
fin bsmt, parq. flrs, gar, yd, nice
block!!! RT1109..... \$630s
GERRITSEN BEACH OPEN HOUSE
SUN. 4/21, 1-3PM
29 Bevy Court
1 Fam. Det. Frame, 2 BR (1 BR currently
being used as a DR), EIK, LR, fin
bsmt, full attic, pvt drv. RG1125..\$340s

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SUN. 4/21, 1-3PM
1919 East 33rd Street
Beautiful 2 Fam. Brk - 2 BR, 1 bth
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yard with deck, skylights, hardwood
floors, lots of closets. A Must See!
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quet floor, laundry area, new roof,
siding, front porch, rear deck with
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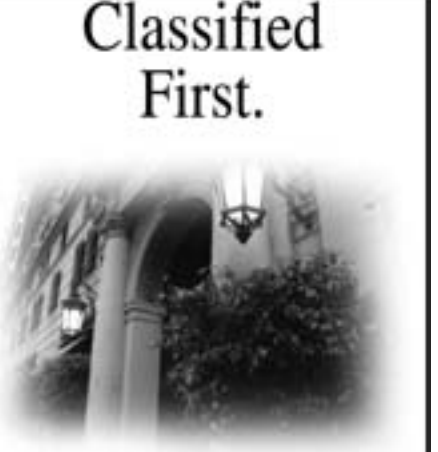
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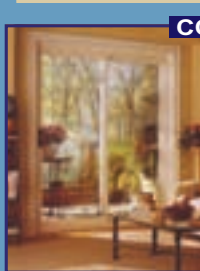


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