

BROOKLYN *Courier*

Your Neighborhood – Your News® Now Including Park Slope Courier, Carroll Gardens/Cobble Hill Courier, Brooklyn Heights Courier & Williamsburg Courier

Aug. 23-29, 2013

SERVING GOWANUS, PARK SLOPE, PROSPECT HEIGHTS, WINDSOR TERRACE, BROOKLYN HEIGHTS, DUMBO, METROTECH, BOERUM HILL, CARROLL GARDENS, COBBLE HILL, RED HOOK, WILLIAMSBURG & GREENPOINT



**Clueless film
detective
gives advice**

See 24Seven



**SPECIAL
READER
BONUS**

Free
coupons
to save
you cash



**The boro's
ultimate
classified
section**



Suicide in Prospect Park

BY NATALIE MUSUMECI

A 53-year-old man hanged himself in Prospect Park early Friday, police said.

Cops found the body of Nikolay Vovchok dangling from a tree in Brooklyn's backyard with a belt wrapped around his neck at 7:48 am, authorities said.

Police said Vovchok committed suicide beside the greenspace's massive lake near the waterfall trail just off the Long Meadow. He was pronounced dead at the scene, officials said.

Vovchok lived on Avenue N between E. Second Street and E. Third Street in Midwood, according to whitepages.com.

Prospect Park-goers were stunned to learn of the suicide.

"That's so awful to hear," said Brittany Bowen, who babysits two young Park Slope children and regularly takes them to the Park. "It's frightening."

CLOSING TIME



BARFLY: Jackie's 5th Amendment regular Marty Boorman won't get to sling back cheap seven-ounce Buds anymore once the Park Slope dive bar closes in September.

Photo by Stefano Giovanni

Last call for Jackie's 5th Amendment

BY NATALIE MUSUMECI

It's last call for legendary Park Slope dive bar Jackie's 5th Amendment.

The long-standing watering hole on Fifth Avenue at Seventh Street is set to serve its last round of brews on Sept. 14 — but not because the old-school joint cannot keep up with the affluent neighborhood's skyrocketing rents. Owner Harold Costello has fallen ill and is ready to throw in the bar towel.

"[Costello's] health isn't great," said bartender Rebecca McCarthy. "He just wanted to see [the bar] go out on his own terms."

Continued on page 18

A CNG Publication Vol. 33 No. 34

UPDATED EVERY DAY AT BROOKLYNDAILY.COM



**JOHN CATSIMATIDIS
FOR MAYOR**

A New Yorker for all New Yorkers

cats2013.com

Paid for by Catsimatidis 2013

The Ultimate Wagons To Fit Your Brooklyn Lifestyle

Both Dealerships Feature Complimentary Valet Parking



GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY Sales Event

New 2013 Lexus CT200h

Automatic | 4 cyl | 1.8 liter | Power Steering,
Windows Brakes, Locks, Seats | Leather |
Premium Sound | CD player | Bluetooth |
MSRP \$33,808



\$299
PER MONTH
27 MOS. LEASE
Complimentary
First Lease Payment



New 2013 Lexus RX350 AWD

Automatic | V6 | 3.5 liter | Power Steering,
Windows Brakes, Locks, Seats | Air
Conditioning | Leather | Premium Sound |
CD player | Bluetooth | MSRP \$46,800



\$389
PER MONTH
27 MOS. LEASE
Complimentary
First Lease Payment



BayRidgeLexus.com

65th Street & 5th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY
800-291-9917

DMV#7048580, NYC DCA Lic.#903200

Open 7 Days a Week

Prices include all costs to a consumer except tax, tags & registration. Closed end leases w/10k miles allotted per yr @ 25c over/mi. Subject to Tier 1 credit approval. Lessee resp for maintenance and excess wear and tear. All vehicles \$0 1st mo pymt, \$0 Security Dep & \$700 bank fee. For CT \$749 dwn pymt, \$1449 Total Due at Signing. Purchase Option \$23,328. Total Pymts \$8073. For RX \$2699 dwn pymt, \$3399 total due at signing. Purchase Option \$30,888. Total Pymts \$10,503. Offer ends 9/3/13. Not responsible for typographical errors.



Audi
Truth in Engineering

New 2013 Audi allroad 2.0T Premium Wagon

Automatic | 4 cyl | 2.0 liter |
AWD Quattro | 4dr | p/s/w/b/lks |
Convenience Pkg | Audi music interface
w/iPod cable | MSRP \$43,355

\$429
PER MONTH
36 MOS. LEASE
Complimentary
First Service*



New 2014 Audi Q5 2.0T Premium

Automatic | 4cyl | 2.0 liter | AWD
Quattro | pwr w/l/s/b/sts | a/c |
lthr | heated front seats | cruise
control | MSRP \$41,980

\$469
PER MONTH
36 MOS. LEASE
Complimentary
First Service*



The All New
AudiBrooklyn.com

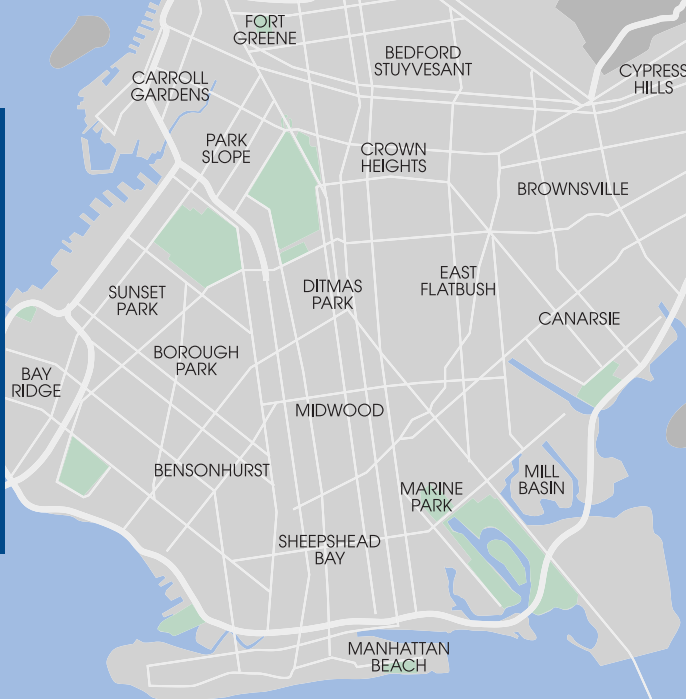
65th Street (bet 6th & 7th Ave.) Brooklyn, NY
888-371-2815

DMV#7115297

Prices include all costs to a consumer except tax, tags & registration. Closed end leases w/10k miles allotted per yr @ 25c over/mi. Subject to approval by Audi Financial Services. Lessee resp for maintenance and excess wear and tear. All vehicles require \$0 Security Dep & \$695 bank fee. Audi allroad \$429 1st mo pymt, \$2495 Down Pymt. \$3619 Due at Signing. Purchase Option \$24,267. Total Pymts \$15,444. Audi Q5 \$469 1st mo pymt + \$1995 Down Payment. \$3159 Due at Signing. Purchase Option \$24,348. Total Pymts \$16,884. *Retail Value \$229. Price reflects \$1000 Audi Loyalty on Allroad (if qual). Offer ends 9/3/13. Not responsible for typographical errors.

HOW WELL DO YOU KNOW BROOKLYN?

**WORK
CLOSE TO
HOME!
SELL ADS AND
MARKETING
TO LOCAL
BUSINESSES.**



CNG IS LOOKING FOR YOU!

**ADVERTISING SALES REPRESENTATIVES TO
WORK WITH LOCAL BUSINESSES**

Local Outside Sales Positions

REQUIREMENTS & QUALIFICATIONS

- Good written and verbal communication skills
- Basic computer skills
- Ability to work in a close team environment
- Position pays salary, plus commission, 401K, medical, expenses & paid vacation

CNG (Community Newspaper Group), a division of the New York Post, is New York City's largest network of local weekly newspapers, distributing hundreds of thousands of papers in Brooklyn, Queens, and the Bronx. In addition, CNG publishes specialty magazines and local websites.

We are seeking motivated outside sales reps to sell ads in our newspapers, magazines and websites. The positions involve selling advertising, working closely with clients to achieve and exceed their expectations, maintaining and developing a client base and seeking new business opportunities through face-to-face sales calls within your territory.

When applying for this position, please send your resume and cover letter to:

Ralph D'Onofrio

Email: rdonofrio@cnglocal.com

Tel: 718-260-2510

CNG is an EOE.

A News Corporation Company



Courier Life
PUBLICATIONS

TIMESLedger
NEWSPAPERS

BRONXTimes
REPORTER INC.

The Brooklyn Paper

Caribbean Life

> R.E., SERV., & AUTO

> COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE

CONEY ISLAND
Stillwell Ave
Garage/Warehouse
5,000 SQ FT. Good for
Auto repair, Auto Body or
Supply Warehouse
**FOR LEASE OR RENT
BY OWNER**
917-337-1800

> PLUMBING AND HEATING

**Neighborhood
Plumbing**
**SEWER & DRAIN
CLEANING**
* TUBS * SINKS *
* MAIN SEWER *
* TOILETS *
* YARD DRAINS *
**24/7 Emergency
Service**
718-745-7727
or 718-848-5654
\$ LOW, LOW, PRICES \$

> COMPUTER SERVICES

**COMPUTER DOC
REPAIR**
Home Service.
Virus Removal.
Reasonable Rates.
24 hrs. 7 days/wk.
516-374-4037

> HANDYMAN

MR. DO IT ALL !!
**You Name It,
and We'll Do It.**
Over 30 Years Experience!
All types of household
repairs & maintenance svcs.
Plumbing, Electrical,
Painting, Roofing, Siding,
Household /Garage &
Basement Clean outs
Windows, Doors
Gutters, Flooring, Tile &
Masonry Work, Pressure
Washing, Snow Removal.
**NO JOB TOO BIG or
TOO SMALL.**
888-349-3669
347-256-1154

> AUTOS FOR SALE

NISSAN 2008 VERSA
EXCEL. Low Miles.
ASKING: \$11,000
Negotiable. **OWNER:**
646-662-2980

TOYOTA AVALON 1995
XLS: White, Auto trans,
alarm. Excellent running
condition. \$1299
718-350-1705

> MASSAGE

Grand Opening
**Pretty, Young Asian
& Russian Girls**
Bodywork, Great
Techniques! Clean & Pvt!
1938 86thSt, 2nd fl, Bklyn
347-462-1118

> ADULT HMC

ESCORT SERVICES

Casablanca Escorts
WHERE A KISS IS STILL A KISS
RATED #1 IN NEW YORK



**Fast, Discreet Service,
Outcalls Only**
**Serving the
TriState Area**
**Ask us about our daily dream
specials!**

MODELS INTERVIEWED DAILY
All Major Credit Cards Accepted
866.333.1360

**OPEN
24/7**

ATTENTION BROOKLYNITES!

There's a new source for news in your neighborhoods:

BROOKLYN DAILY.com

Courier Life Publications – the most powerful name in news from Canarsie to Greenpoint – is proud to launch its new website, BrooklynDaily.com, featuring fresh news, arts and features from all the neighborhoods that matter to you.

Click on BrooklynDaily.com every day for coverage of Brooklyn that is faster, better and deeper than any other online publication. Every day, you'll get all the top-notch coverage you've come to expect from the Bay News, Brooklyn Graphic, Kings Courier, Mill-Marine Courier, Bay Ridge Courier and Brooklyn Courier – and more!



BrooklynDaily.com – your one-stop shopping for Brooklyn news.

ONLINE NOW!

► HERE'S MY CARD

HOME IMPROVEMENT

DELTA STONE CORP. Call Us...Make it Happen!

- Kitchen & Bath Remodeling
- Tile Installation • Painting
- Plumbing • Electrical
- Finished Basements
- Window & Door Installation
- All Interior Renovations
- Professional & Courteous

Call Caesar
347-962-5322
Fully Lic & Ins • Lic # 1462666

3 year warranty on ALL jobs

MOVING

SP MOVING

All Types of Moving
**Reliable
Dependable
Reasonable
Rates**



Free Estimates
We Do Rubbish Removal
718-339-8888

PLUMBING & HEATING

CNJ PLUMBING INC. 24/7 EMERGENCY SVC.

FREE Estimates Lic. & Ins.
• Plumbing Repairs
• Hot Water Heater Repairs & Installation
• Boiler Repairs & Installation
• Sewer & Drain Cleaning
• Boiler Inspection
• Drain Video Inspection

Over 25 YEARS Experience!

Lic. #2071
Residential & Commercial
917-837-5771
WWW.CNJPLUMBINGINC.COM

HOME IMPROVEMENT

A & C Home Remodeling

- Kitchens • Bathrooms • Plastering
- Finished Basements • Sheetrock
- Interior & Exterior Painting • Taping
- Suspended Ceilings • Floors • Tiling

Call Anthony
718-986-4035
Lic. #0927159
Free Estimates Lic. & Bonded

MOVING & STORAGE

ARIK J. MOVING & STORAGE

Special Local Job By Hour

2 Men w/Truck \$59/Hr.	4 Men w/Truck \$85/Hr.
3 Men w/Truck \$69/Hr.	5 Men w/Truck \$99/Hr.

ARIK J. MOVING & STORAGE Toll Free **877-668-3186**
212-321-MOVE
US DOT #130966
Fully Licensed & Insured The Company has the right to change prices any time.

PLUMBING

CRC PLUMBING & HEATING CORP.

The Family Business Over 60 Years
Plumbing • Heating
Electric Sewer Cleaning
Inspection & Violation Removals
NYS Certified Backflow Testing & Installation
Lic & Ins

718-743-6858
Email: CRCPlumbers@aol.com
www.CRCPlumbers.com

HOME IMPROVEMENT

HERON CONSTRUCTION

Specializing in:
Kitchens & Bathrooms • Finished Basements
Painting & Plastering
• All Kinds of Carpentry & More
Lic. #1252474 • Fully Insured

718-450-1851
Fax: **718-277-1963**
www.HeronConstruction.net
email: heron80@aol.com

Call Today for a FREE ESTIMATE

MOVING VAN



Serving the Community for Over a Generation!
Family owned & operated

718-384-8721 / 646-369-4305

ROOFING

Clean Leaders & Gutters
\$45 Any Size House

- General Contracting & Repairs
- All Home Improvement Work
- Basements
- Water Proofing & Mold Damage

718-968-3095
WILLIAM DOLAN ROOFING CO. INC
HIC LIC # 0928471

KITCHENS & BATHS

KITCHENS & BATHS

- Installing your Cabinetry, Countertops Appliances & Flooring
- Construction/Moving Walls, Windows & Doors
- Electrical & Plumbing Needs
- Kitchen Design
- Bathroom Design
- General Carpentry

718.979.5450 | www.kitchensnthings.com

PAINTING

FINISHING TOUCH PAINTING

FREE ESTIMATES FULLY INSURED & LICENSED
Top Quality Work, Dependable Service and a Job That Will Last!
15 YEARS IN BUSINESS
All Types of Painting and Wallpaper
WALLPAPER IS BACK AND WE ARE THE GUYS TO INSTALL IT!

LOU OFFICE: 718-332-7041 • CELL : 646-302-6511

TREE SERVICE

TREE SERVICE

We Beat All Competitor's Rates
Free Estimates
• TREE REMOVAL
• STUMP GRINDING
• PRUNING • FIREWOOD
• ROOF LINE CLEANING
Residential & Commercial
Senior, Veterans, Police & Fireman Discounts
T&M GREENCARE
718-332-4900
www.tmgreencare.com
Owner Operated - NYC LIC: 1418091

MOVING & STORAGE

MOVING ZONE
MOVING & STORAGE INC
MOVINGZONE.COM
LICENSED & INSURED • LOCAL & LONG DISTANCE
718.788.5500
D.O.T#:36242

PLUMBING

EINSTEIN'S PLUMBING and HEATING, Inc.

The One Stop Residential Plumber & More Any Drain, \$179⁰⁰

FREE WATER TEST WITH EVERY SERVICE CALL ★ 7 DAYS A WEEK
718-246-4095
Lic.#1517

SAVE MONEY
BY SHOPPING IN OUR CLASSIFIEDS

► R.E.

► BROOKLYN GARAGE RENTAL

► BROOKLYN GARAGE RENTAL

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE

All real estate advertised herein is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act, which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation or discrimination because of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status, sexual orientation or national origin, or intention to make any such preference, limitation or discrimination." We will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. All persons are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised are available on an equal opportunity basis.



► BROOKLYN APTS UNFURN

CANARSIE
2 bedroom apt for rent,
1.5 baths, balcony,
\$1,550/mo rent + security.
Near shopping
& transportation.
Call Agent for Appt
718-951-7500

► VACATION HOME FOR RENT

OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND. Best selection of affordable rentals. Full/ partial weeks. Call for FREE brochure. Open daily. Holiday Real Estate. 1-800-638-2102. Online reservations: www.holidayoc.com

► NYS LOTS & ACREAGE

ABSOLUTE FARMLAND LIQUIDATION COOPERS-TOWN LAKES REGION! 5acres- Views- \$14,900 10acres- Stream - \$29,900 17acres- Organic - \$34,900 100% Guaranteed, highest quality acreage at 30-50% below market prices! Call (888) 905-8847 www.NewYorkLandandLakes.com

PARK SLOPE: 1 BR. AVAILABLE IMMED. \$1,700/mo Neg. AGENT: 917-676-7644

► BROOKLYN ROOM FURN

ALL AREAS
Private Entrance, Bath, Cooking, Move Now.
1 Person \$125 week/up
2 Person \$150 week/up
AGENT

212-697-3817
LANDLORDS:
LIST YOUR ROOM FREE

NY LAND BARGAINS- Little Falls area 59.9 acres, woods \$65,000. 17.9 acres \$34,000. Fort Plain area 33.4 acres, fields \$66,000. Owner financing www.helnderbergrealty.com CALL HENRY: 518-861-6541

► BROOKLYN HOUSE FOR SALE

We Buy Your Home All Cash
Over 40 yrs of exp.
We do short sales & will make it a pleasant exp.
917-991-0600

► HOUSE FOR SALE OTHER AREAS

Discover Delaware's Resort Living without Resort pricing! Milder Winter's & Low Taxes! Gated Community with amazing amenities; New Homes mid \$40's. Brochures available 1-866-629-0770 or www.coolbranch.com

► NEW JERSEY HOUSE FOR SALE

BAYONNE, NJ
Newer 2 Fam, 7 BR, 5 Bth, 3 kit, fam rm, near waterfront park. Pkng for 3+ cars
Asking \$449K
Exit on the Hudson RE:
201-437-0411
Call Nancy:
201-988-7802

WE BUY HOUSES ALL CASH IN ALL BORO'S IN ANY CONDITION
We do short sales & prevent foreclosures
646 - 833 - 6892

To Advertise Here
Call 718-260-2555
OR
Fax 718-260-2549

CONSTRUCTION

**SHIVA CONSTRUCTION
COMPANY INC.** EST.1989

All Interior and Exterior Work

- Steam Cleaning
- Brick Pointing
- Roofing • Ceramic
- Cement and Brick Work
- Water Proofing
- Painting and Paint Stripping
- Finish Basement
- Kitchen & Bath
- Sheetrock • Carpentry
- Vinyl and Wood Floor

**Certified Lead
Abatement**

917.582.8068
718.336.7812 **FREE ESTIMATES**
FULLY INSURED
Lic HIS 1019308 • HIC 1019310

CONTRACTING

CJM Contracting Inc.
Chris Mullins
General Contracting

Bathroom & Kitchen Renovations
Expertise in Fixing Leaks, Carpentry, Basements, Attics,
All Renovations, Masonry, Stoops, Brickwork,
Waterproofing, Pointing, Windows

DORMERS & EXTENSIONS

Roofing, Flat Shingle
FREE Estimates. Licensed & Insured. Lic. #0982130
Worker's Comp., Liability & Disability Insurance

Call 718-276-8558

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING

**When it's done correctly
it's only done once!**

- ✓ Residential ✓ Commercial ✓ Upgrades
- ✓ Homes ✓ Industrial ✓ LAN/WAN ✓ Fire & Home Alarms
- ✓ Video Surveillance ✓ Violations Removed ✓ Stores
- ✓ Outdoor Lighting ✓ Cable Modem Networking ✓ Pools
- ✓ Telephone & Communications Systems

NO JOB TOO SMALL!

Free Estimates Available LIC #11653

L & B ELECTRICAL INTERNATIONAL, INC.
Friendly service. Professional results. Visions illuminated.
2063 Atlantic Ave • Brooklyn, NY 11233
Tel: 718-501-5249
Email: office@LBElectricInc.com

CONTRACTORS



**Interior & Exterior
Renovations**
Residential & Commercial
Carpentry • Kitchens
• Bathrooms • Roofing
• Waterproofing • Painting
• Plastering • Brick
• Concrete Work

FREE ESTIMATES
www.eaglecontractor.com

718-333-5771
Licensed & Insured: Lic #1418480

CONSTRUCTION

ACME CONSTRUCTION



- Renovations
- Roofing
- Waterproofing
- Masonry Work
- Brick Work
- Stucco
- Pointing
- Concrete Driveway
- Paving
- Concrete Sidewalk
- Build Extension
- Vinyl Siding
- Bathrooms
- Kitchens
- Insulations
- Leak Specialist
- All Interior & Exterior Work

**CALL FOR
DISCOUNT**

Licensed & Fully Insured • FREE Estimates

347-681-2190 • 718-266-0144 LIC 1352022
2038 Cropsey Ave • BK, NY 11214 HIC 1352019

HOME IMPROVEMENT

CHIEFS **RESIDENTIAL
HOME IMPROVEMENT SPECIALISTS**

Drywall • Taping
Carpentry • Moldings
Painting: Interior • Exterior
Kitchen, Bath
Basement Remodeling
Roofing • Repairs
Gutters • Leaders
Power Washing
All Phases of
Waterproofing

EPA certified Lic# 1118570 Fully Insured & Bonded

Free Estimates
718-456-9368 800-640-3094

ELECTRICIAN - LICENSED

**COMPLETE ELECTRICAL
SERVICE COMPANY**
40 YEARS EXPERIENCE

Fixtures & Fans Hung • AC Wiring - Generators
Electrical Systems Upgrade • Garden Lighting
Maintenance & Repair 220 Electric Panels
Brownstone Rewiring • Violations Removed

Written Gurantees on All Work!

718-749-1151
Insured & Bonded

CONSTRUCTION

**ALL PHASE
CONSTRUCTION**

718.251.4148 • 917.971.5191
917.690.0739



"One Call Does It All!"
25 Years Experience
Expect Excellence!

- RENOVATIONS
- ADDITIONS
- DECKS
- SIDING
- GARAGE
- POOLS

And Much More
FULLY INSURED

**FREE
ESTIMATES**

ELECTRICIAN

ALECTRA INC.
Have an electrical problem?
No job too big, no job too small!
We Do All Types of Renovations

SPECIALIZING IN POWER FAILURE GENERATORS

Call me. Anthony Illiano
Licensed electrician

718-522-3893

HANDYMAN

HANDYMAN MEIR

*Will take care of all of your
household needs including:*

Kitchen & Bathroom Cabinets,
All Electrical, Ceiling Lights,
Fan, Fixtures Switches & Outlets,
Wood Floors, Tiles,
Sheetrock Plastering, Painting

Best service with reasonable and affordable rates.

Call Meir 718-559-7653
meirhandyman@mail.com



CONSTRUCTION



**NEW HEIGHTS
CONSTRUCTION LLC**

Siding • Windows • Roofing
Fences • Kitchens • Painting • Baths
Basements • Decks • Doors
Awnings • Patio Enclosures
Brick Pointing • Concrete Stucco

FALL SPECIALS
ON WINDOWS

**VISIT OUR ONLINE
SHOWROOM**

www.newheightsconstructionny.com

NYC License #1191201 **800-525-5102**
FREE ESTIMATES **718-767-0044**

ELECTRICIAN



Raymond Castro
Licensed Master Electrician

(718) 499-5069 | (917) 699-8444
SlopeElectric@optonline.net

EXTERMINATOR



FOR ALL YOUR PEST CONTROL NEEDS

Call now and ask about our
spring special and bed bug removal

Reasonable & Reliable • License and Insured

CALL ME NOW!
917-304-8777

HANDYMAN

MR. SEWER MAN
**COMPLETE PIPING
& DRAIN CLEANING**
EMERGENCY SERVICE

Repairs & Installations On Everything
Hot Water Heaters & Boiler Repairs
Free Estimates

Call For Quality Service
718-998-3342 Ask for John



CONSTRUCTION

(718) 941-3902
**UNIVERSAL CONSTRUCTION
& CARPENTRY CORP.**

Lic. #HIC 1436395 & HIS 1074418

COMMERCIAL & RESIDENTIAL

WATERPROOFING OUR SPECIALTY

- Steam Cleaning • Pointing
- Brick Work • Cement Work • Painting
- Brownstone • Roofing

Serving All Boros Fully Insured FREE Estimates

DEMOLITION

**COMPLETE
RUBBISH REMOVAL**
Residential & Commercial Clean-Up
Anything & Everything

Basements • Attics • Garages • Yards • Apts
Estates • Furniture & Appliances Removed
Stores • Warehouse • Fire Debris

WE DO INTERIOR DEMOLITION

Fully Insured "NO JOB TOO BIG OR TOO SMALL"
Call Jose **917-560-6569**

PAINTING

PAINTERS & TILES R US
Specializing in:

- Painting
- Skin Coating
- Bathrooms
- Kitchens
- Basements
- Water Damage
- Tile Installation
- Wood Floors
- Tile Repair
- Wallpaper Removal
- Tile Regrouting
- Doors
- Drywall/Taping
- Apt. Rental Fixups & Much More

**15% OFF
ANY JOB**

30 YRS EXP • ALL WORK GUARANTEED • FREE EST • LOW PRICES
FULLY INSURED **347-226-0202**

HOME IMPROVEMENTS

**HARMAN
CONTRACTING, INC.**

Residential/Commercial

- STEAM CLEANING • WATERPROOFING
- ROOFING • BRICK POINTING
- BRICK WORK • SIDEWALKS • PAINT
- THOROSEAL • CEMENT WORK

T: **718-743-7724** • C: **917-337-6119**
Fax: **718-743-7726**

All Violations Removed • Affordable Price
No Job Too Big or Small **FREE Estimate**
Fully Insured Lic. #1057536

► LEGAL DIR.

ATTORNEY

**ALL ACCIDENTS &
WORKERS COMPENSATION
FREE CONSULTATION**

Law Office of
ANDREW KAMINSKI, ESQ
718-389-0450

973-303-0498 (24/7)

79 Greenpoint Ave. • Brooklyn, NY 11222

ATTORNEY

OFSHTEIN LAW FIRM, P.C.
Personal Injury Lawyers, Immigration



1723 East 12th Street 4th Floor
Brooklyn, New York 11229

Tel. 718-455 5252

Free Consultations

ATTORNEY

**DIVORCE
BANKRUPTCY**

Very Low Prices
Family Law.

Se Habla Español

718-253-2413

1404 Coney Island Ave, Brooklyn
Asher B. White Law Offices

ATTORNEY

**LEGAL PROBLEM?
I KNOW HOW
TO WIN FOR YOU!**

Joseph B. Maira, Esq.
1229 Ave. Y, Suite 5C, Bklyn.
Cell **718-938-3728**

mogul12218@aol.com

*Need Help
Fixing Up
Your Fixer-Upper?*

Check Out Our
**CLASSIFIED
SERVICE DIRECTORY**

For Additional Ads

► HERE'S MY CARD

ACCOUNTANT

INCOME TAX PREPARATION

Individuals • Corporations • Small Businesses
All At Reasonable Rates

Do any of these sound familiar?

- Unhappy with results of last year's tax return?
- Current accountant not taking your calls?
- Receiving tax penalty & interest notices?
- Tired of preparing your own tax return?

WE CAN HELP!

New customers receive \$50 discount



DONOFRIO INC.

taxes, accounting & bookkeeping

8519 4th Avenue, 2nd Flr.
Brooklyn, NY 11209

718.921.1818

JOHN@DONOFRIOINC.COM • WWW.DONOFRIOINC.COM

We Accept Major Credit Cards



ACCOUNTING

URI SHAKILBERG, CPA



718-747-3982

- INDIVIDUAL TAXES
- CORPORATE TAXES
- FULL-CHARGE BOOKKEEPING
- NEW BUSINESS SETUP
- LIQUIDATIONS
- QUICKBOOKS AND QUICKEN
SETUP, HELP, TRAINING

AIR CONDITIONING

**MASTER SERVICE
APPLIANCES INC.**



**Room Air
Conditioning**

Cooling & Heating Units

- Sales, Service & Installation
- Cleaning Projects - P.T.A.C
- Senior Citizen & Civil Servant Discounts

**50% OFF all late model
Friedrich reconditioned
air conditioners** (incl. warranty)

Why Haggle with Salesmen?

CALL NOW for a free survey,
comfortably at your location!

SERVING NYC SINCE 1978
BROOKLYN • QUEENS • MANHATTAN • STATEN ISLAND • LONG ISLAND

718-851-6600 718-851-6601
861 41st St. Brooklyn, NY 11232
www.msa-nyc.com

APPLIANCE REPAIR



Licensed & Insured

**PAYLESS
APPLIANCE REPAIR**

- Ranges • Refrigerators • Washers & Dryers • Cook Tops
- Microwaves • Air Conditioner • Dish Washer

QUEENS, LONG ISLAND, BROOKLYN, STATEN ISLAND

Integrity • Honesty • Reliability



347-351-9356

917-627-4171

BATHROOMS

BATHROOMS R US

EVERYTHING HOME INC
718.520.8370

www.everythinghomeinc.com

Tile Work // Plastering // Painting
Plumbing // Electrical

BATHROOMS!

EMERGENCY REPAIRS • FREE ESTIMATE
Call Anytime • Immediate Response 24/7 • Licensed & Insured

BATHTUB REGLAZING

One Day Bath Solutions!

Save up to 90% replacement cost

- Expert Reglazing
for Bathtubs & Sinks
- We repair all chips,
scratches & cracks



The Tubcut™
CONVERT YOUR TUB TO A
WALKING SHOWER
IN JUST 1 DAY
• AFFORDABLE &
REVERSIBLE

REGLAZING PLUS INC. \$25⁰⁰ OFF
Any Service

718-238-8460 • 1-855-857-8950
www.reglazingplus.com

CARPENTRY

Carpentry Plus

"I START - I FINISH!"

Closets • Hardwood Floors
Wall Units • Taping to Finish
Window Installation • Kitchens • Tile Work
Dependable with references

Kevin **718-331-9251**

CARPET CLEANING

**Maurice Carpet Cleaning
Commercial/Residential**

- Steam & Shampoo • Traffic Lane Removal
- Sanitizing Water Damage
- Deodorizer, Scotchguard
- We Clean Fire & Water Damages • Restoration
- We Fix Foundations & Waterproof
- Ceramic Tiles, and Tiles Ground
- Stripping, Waxing & Polishing

No Job too Big or too Small

"WE CLEAN WHERE OTHERS FEAR TO TRY"

Tel: 917-560-6569

CHIMNEY & FIREPLACE

CHIMNEY & FIREPLACE
Cleaning & Inspection **\$59⁰⁰**

- Blockages Removed
- Gas Company Shut-offs
- Oil Burner Chimneys
- Violations Corrected
- Carbon Monoxide
- Spillage Resolved
- Gas Furnace Chimneys

FREE
ESTIMATES
SENIOR
DISCOUNTS

- Clean
- Repair
- Re-Line
- Rebuild
- All Masonry Work
- Roofing & Siding

LIC. & INSURED
DCA #226321

ALL BOROUGH CHIMNEY & FIREPLACE, Inc.
718-755-3046 24/7 Emergency Service

CLEANOUTS



Need rubbish removal.com
646-371-2167

Free Estimates - Residential - Commercial

No Job Too Big or Too Small!

Yards - Attics - Basements - Garages

CALL US TODAY FOR A FREE QUOTE!

646-371-2167

www.needrubbishremoval.com

Lic #B1LC3054

CONSTRUCTION

**D. RAFFAELE
CONSTRUCTION**

*Residential / Commercial
Specializing in all types of Concrete
Brick • Block • Masonry • Tile Work
Driveway, Stoops, Steps, Pavers,
Basement Floors & Entrances,
Cultured Stone, Balustrades, etc*

Free Estimates • Lic #1191350

718-209-9576

Demand the Best! Demand Dominick!

To Place Your Ad

Call or Fax

Tel: **718.260.2555**

Fax: **718.260.2549**

► MISC.

► ANNOUNCEMENT | ► ANNOUNCEMENT

Looking for 50 Homeowners to Qualify for a FREE Home Solar System

- ☐ Own Your Own Home
- ☐ Have a Southernly-Facing Roof
- ☐ Little to No Shading
- ☐ Credit Score of 680
- ☐ Pay an Electric Bill

The U.S. Government and State of New York have financial incentives that provide homeowners the opportunity to replace your electric provider with solar power.

Roof Diagnostics Solar is now qualifying 50 homes for a FREE home solar system. Call 845-694-3536 to see if your home qualifies!

845-694-3536 **ROOF DIAGNOSTICS SOLAR**

LEARN^{TO}EARN! EDUCATION & CAREER TRAINING

LEARN^{TO}EARN! EDUCATION & CAREER TRAINING

PLAZA COLLEGE Est. 1916

Health Information Technology¹

The integral part of the "behind the scenes" medical field

- Gain experience in maintaining health records
- Learn to ensure the quality, accuracy, and confidentiality of vital medical documentation
- Become trained in various classification systems for medical reimbursement processes



CALL NOW 718.509.6395

www.PlazaCollege.edu

74-09 37 AVE., JACKSON HEIGHTS, QUEENS

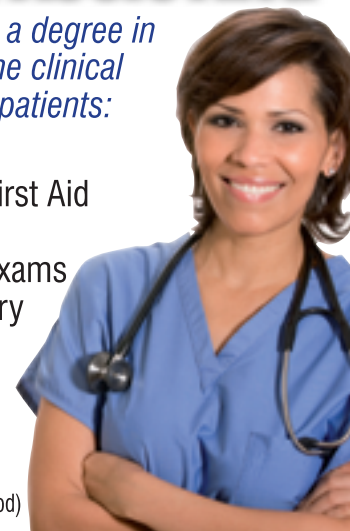
¹ www.PlazaCollege.edu/disclosures

PLAZA COLLEGE Est. 1916

MEDICAL ASSISTING¹

Begin your career with a degree in a field that gives you the clinical experience to care for patients:

- Taking vital signs
- Performing CPR & First Aid
- Administering EKG's
- Performing patient exams
- Assisting in laboratory procedures
- Performing office procedures
- OSHA techniques
- Phlebotomy (drawing blood)



CALL NOW 718.509.6395

www.PlazaCollege.edu

74-09 37 AVE., JACKSON HEIGHTS, QUEENS

¹ www.PlazaCollege.edu/disclosures

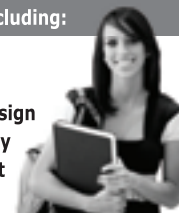
BRAMSON ORT COLLEGE www.BramsonORT.edu

**Apply Today
877-479-0705**

19 Degree Programs including:

Build Your Future with Us!

- Paralegal
- Medical Assistant
- Graphic and Game Design
- Electronics Technology
- Business Management
- Computer Technology



- Accounting
- Administrative Assistant
- Renewable Energy
- Computer Programming
- Pharmacy Technician
- CADD & HVAC and more!

Exam Prep & Free Tutoring • Financial Aid Available • Flexible Class Schedules
Affordable Tuition • Job Placement Services • Career Internships

FC The Franklin Career Institute



MEDICAL JOB TRAINING

Financial Aid Available If Qualified

Providing Highly Trained Medical Personnel Since 1998

MEDICAL OFFICE ASSISTANTS • NURSE ASSISTANT/PATIENT CARE TECHNICIAN • MEDICAL BILLERS • PHLEBOTOMY TECHS • EKG TECHS



DAY & EVENING
CLASSES
AVAILABLE

LET US HELP YOU FILL YOUR EMPLOYMENT NEEDS

LONG ISLAND CAMPUS:
91 NORTH FRANKLIN STREET
HEMPSTEAD, NEW YORK 11550
PHONE: (516) 481-4444

BROOKLYN CAMPUS:
5323 FIFTH AVENUE
BROOKLYN, NEW YORK 11220
PHONE: (718) 535-3333

For information on gainful employment, please visit www.franklincareer.edu/gainfulmoe.html

Find Your
New Career in Our
Learn to Earn
Education &
Career Training
Section

SHOREFRONT JEWISH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

**OFFERS FREE OF CHARGE
CITIZENSHIP CLASSES**

CALL 718-743-0575 EXT. 7503

**REGISTER and,
DO NOT MISS THIS
OPPORTUNITY!!!!!!**

**Call
718-260-2555
To Advertise Here**

ENTER A CAREER IN HEALTH CARE

COMPLETE COURSES IN 4 TO 8 WEEKS

Nurse's Aide Training 5 to 6 Weeks.....\$685
Patient Care Tech (PCT), (PCA) Nurse Tech.....\$690
HHA & PCA.....*Creole/French Students Welcome*.....\$650
Phlebotomy & EKG Training.....\$690
Having Difficulty Passing the Nurse Aide State Board Exam?
TRY OUR 2 WEEK REVIEW COURSE.....\$2,500
PHARMACY TECH 8 WEEKS.....\$900
Nurse Aides Can Become Home Health Aides in 10 Days...\$480

Morning, Evening & Weekend Classes

\$50 TO START ANY CLASS

NO HS DIPLOMA OR GED REQUIRED

DAISLEY II INSTITUTE, INC

495 Flatbush Ave. • 2nd Flr. Brooklyn
(bet. Lefferts & Empire Blvd.)

718-467-8497

► EMPLOYMENT, BUSINESS OPPS., EDUCATIONAL SERV., MISC.

To Place Your Ad
Call 718-260-2555

► HELP WANTED

DIVERSIFIED CLERICAL (FT)

Computer & Phone Skills Exp. A Must!
Kings Plaza Area
FAX RESUME
718-692-2143

Exterminator Needed

Willing to Train.
Car a must.
Bklyn Area
718-259-2341

HVAC Installers & Service Repair Techs

Min 5yrs+ exp., valid drivers lic, w/clean record. Must be dependable w/clean appearance. SI loc Good pay & benefits. Please fax resume to:
718-390-9001

In House Plumbing Expediter

No freelancing. Must be computer literate.
Fax resume
718-624-2879

► HELP WANTED

INSURANCE EXPERIENCE

A MUST
PERSONAL LINES
CSR WANTED
License Preferred
Brooklyn insurance office.
Fax or Email resume
to 718-451-4233
umanofe@nationwide.com

LaFEMME SALON & SPA

13 years in business.
Kingston Ave stop on #3 train.
GREAT environment.
Looking for Caring & Professional individuals to fill 2 positions:
1) Mani, waxing exp.
2) Wig Stylist.
English, Exp & docs a must.

Txt: 917-554-6477
Email:
sarybarak@gmail.com

MACHINE SET UP of brush mach. Min 3 yrs exp. In setting & changeover of production machines. Will teach our Machines. Email resume & work exp with ref. to: production3@optonline.net

► HELP WANTED

MANUFACTURING

Utrecht Art Supply seeks reliable individuals for our Brooklyn manufacturing plant. All positions are Full Time, Monday - Friday, 7:00 - 3:30. Some Overtime and Saturdays may be required.

• FILLING MACHINE OPERATOR
• 3 ROLL MILL OPERATOR

Must be handy; experience a plus. Requirements also include: ensuring safety standards, cleaning and maintaining machines; ensuring products meet established quality standards. Must be able to lift minimum 50lbs.

Willing to train the right person.
Competitive rates and excellent benefits. EOE

APPLY IN PERSON, Ask for Tom
Monday-Friday 10am-2pm
Immediate Interviews
33 35th St., 3rd Flr, Brooklyn, NY 11232
For directions only, call 718-369-9204 ext. 14

► HELP WANTED

• FILLING MACHINE OPERATOR

Must be handy; experience a plus. Requirements also include: ensuring safety standards, cleaning and maintaining machines; ensuring products meet established quality standards. Must be able to lift minimum 50lbs.

Willing to train the right person.

Competitive rates and excellent benefits. EOE

APPLY IN PERSON, Ask for Tom
Monday-Friday 10am-2pm

Immediate Interviews

33 35th St., 3rd Flr, Brooklyn, NY 11232

For directions only, call 718-369-9204 ext. 14



RECEPTIONIST

Part time
Receptionist Wanted
2 nights 4-8 & Sat,
Sun 9-5
SEND RESUME
to 718-241-5604

WELDER

Must be certified.
Fax Certified
Welder Card to
718-624-2879

WELDERS

For boiler repairs. Must pass 6G Pipe Test.
Union benefits. Call Mr. Richards at 718-251-3000
email: work@nyboiler.com
5885 Preston Court
(Ralph Ave & E.80th St)

► EDUCATION SERVICE

All 5 Boros Intensive Review
Mon thru Thur, Morn/ Eves
GED, GMAT, MCAT, GRE, SATs, Regents, LAST
EXCELLENT RESULTS!!
Sm. Student Faculty Ratio
GED: 4 WEEKS \$150
Evenings Mon, Wed 7-9PM
Mon thru Thur- 8-10PM
6 WEEKS Program
Sun- 3-6PM, Sat- 9-12PM
& 1:30-4:30PM
Add'l Prog For Students Who Have Difficulty w/Science/ Math. LSAT, High School & College Prep in All Subjects.
PROF. DALEY
718-369-0704

► JOB INFORMATION

AIRLINE CAREERS begin here— Get FAA approved Aviation Maintenance Technician training. Financial aid for qualified students— Housing available. Job placement assistance. Call AIM 866-296-7093

► HELP WANTED

► MUSIC INSTRUCTION

GUITAR LESSONS

Jazz * Rock * Blues
Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced
Ages 7 to Adult
Patient, Knowledgeable, Experienced, Instructor
My studio or the privacy of your home
Serving Manhattan, Brooklyn, Bronx, Westchester

646-539-1031

meetup.com/AcousticGuitarForum/

Follow me on Twitter:
twitter.com/rayjguitar

► TUTORS

PROFESSIONAL Tutoring Service
College Prep, 5 Boros
All SUBJECTS Available
Excellent Results!
REGENTS
SAT1 & SAT2 Exams
AP & ENTRANCE
Exams, MCAT, GRE, GMAT Exams - LAST
Compass Exam
Intensive GED & ESL
Day Classes Start 6/09
Call Prof. Daley
718-369-0704

► ESTATE SALES

Estate Sale by Appointment only. Many antiques, electronics, household furnishings & accessories, collectibles, artifacts & much more.
Call 718 - 759 - 9013 anytime to schedule appointment. All proceeds benefit, A Forum for L.I.F.E, Inc., a public charity

► MERCHANDISE FOR SALE

Hess trucks, Electric scooters, bikes, X-Box, PS2, games, books and furniture please call
347-668-8986

NEW Dishwasher: Never used! 5 cycles, delay start, energy saver, 14 place setting. 35"H x 24"W; ASK: \$300 Neg. Buyer arrange pick-up. OWNER: 347-857-5131

Office of the Public Advocate

To Advertise Here
Call 718-260-2555
OR
Fax 718-260-2549

► FLEA MARKETS

► FLEA MARKETS

RICHMOND HILL FLEA MARKET

Open To The Public Every
SUNDAY 8 AM TO 3 PM

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

• Jewelry • Clothing
• Cosumables & more!

117-09 Hillside Ave., Richmond Hill, NY 11418
Phone: 347-709-7661
www.richmondhillfleaamarket.com



► MERCHANDISE WANTED

ABE BUYS OLD STUFF \$\$\$\$
Furniture, Rugs, Paintings, Silver & Bronzes. Buys Whole Contents!
FREE IN-HOME ESTIMATES
718-332-9709

► MERCHANDISE WANTED

WANTED: RECORDS BY LESSER KNOWN ARTISTS
R&B, R&R, Soul/Disco, Latin, African, Reggae/Ska, Calypso (pre-Soca), Gospel, Jazz, Country, Blues, Arabic, Indian, Hwy Metal
NO POPULAR ARTISTS
Charlie 516-612-2009

WE BUY ANYTHING OLD.
Costume Jewelry, fountain pens, old watches, world fair and military items. Zip-poo Cigarette lighters, anything gold. Call Mike 718-204-1402.

► COLLECTIBLES

INDIAN POST
2013 Booklet of Native American Arts & Crafts
FREE 75 pages, 100's of items to choose from easy purchasing
CALL DAN
718-891-7370

► ANNOUNCEMENT

► ANNOUNCEMENT

Drivers School Bus

For Small Mini Buses
5 Days per week,
easy routes,
Starts at \$15.15 per hour,
Blue Cross Health Benefits,
401K Pension,
Must have CDL class
CP or BP license

Apply in person
Monday thru Friday
10AM to 4PM

5015 Bay Parkway,
Brooklyn NY 11230

(Corner of Bay Parkway & McDonald Ave)

Drivers Wanted

For Busy Brooklyn Car Service

All House Cars!

"High Bookings"
Paid Daily!

Must have TLC license
Call

347-786-2114

Super

Sheepshead Bay area.
Clean elevator building
Salary + Apartment

Reply to:
aasuperjob@gmail.com
or Fax 718-871-9123

Teachers

Day Care & Elementary
School. Dedicated & willing to work hard. Experience Helpful Also Specialized Music & Dance Teachers.
Call 718-485-0100
Fax Res. 718- 485-0300

WAREHOUSE STOCK PERSON
F/T Position in Wholesale Company. Warehouse exp necessary. \$325/week. Send Resume
Israel@iamdse.com
Fax: 718-832-5147

Host an Exchange Student Today!

(for 3, 5 or 10 months)

Make a lifelong friend from abroad.

Enrich your family with another culture. Now you can host a high school exchange student (girl or boy) from France, Germany, Scandinavia, Spain, Australia, Japan, Brazil, Italy or other countries. Single parents, as well as couples with or without children, may host. Contact us ASAP for more information or to select your student.



Victoria from Australia, 17 yrs. Enjoys spending time with her family and younger siblings. Victoria plays volleyball and is excited to learn new sports while in America.



Giorgio from Italy, 16 yrs. Loves to play basketball and spend time with his dogs. Giorgio also plays the guitar, and his dream is to join a drama club at his American high school.

Call Laura at 910-584-3700

Amy at 1-800-677-2773 (toll free) hostamc.com or email info@hostamc.com



Founded in 1975
ASSE International Student Exchange Program is a 501(c)(3) Non-Profit Organization.
The primary reason for this program is to give students a chance to learn about other cultures.

Brooklyn community classifieds

To Advertise Call: 718-260-2555

► EMPLOYMENT

To Place Your Ad
Call 718-260-2555

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE

All employment advertised herein is subject to section 296 of the human rights law, which makes it illegal to advertise any preference, limitation or discrimination because of race, color, creed, national origin, disability, marital status, sex, age, sexual orientation, or arrest conviction record, or intention to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination. Title 29, U.S. Code, Chap 630, excludes the Federal Gov't from the age discrimination provisions. This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for employment which is in violation of the law. Our readers are informed that employment offerings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis.

► MEDICAL HELP WANTED

► MEDICAL HELP WANTED

► MEDICAL HELP WANTED

► MEDICAL HELP WANTED

Certified Home Health Aides

Discover A Whole New World Of Opportunity at:

THE ROYAL CARE INC.

Immediate Employment for HHAs



All Shifts Available:
F/T & P/T - Live In/Out
English • Spanish • Bilingual
WE OFFER TOP SALARY



Plus Great Health Benefits

Job opportunities: **QUEENS, BROOKLYN
and MANHATTAN, THE BRONX AND NASSAU COUNTY**

6323 14th Ave Brooklyn, NY 11219 718-851-3800
558 Morris Ave Bronx, NY 10451 718-840-3000
146-14 35 Ave Flushing, NY 11354 718-539-7600
236 Fulton Ave Suite 203 Hempstead, NY 11550 516-453-5200.

Certified HHAs or PCAs

Help us
make a difference!

QNS, BKLYN, MANHATTAN, THE BRONX & NASSAU

**MANY CASES AVAILABLE...
IMMEDIATE WORK... TOP \$\$\$**

**\$250
Sign-On
BONUS**
Live-ins only

- Starting at \$9.50/hour*
- \$10.93/hr for Overtime*
- \$123.50 Live-In Cases*
- Health Benefits • Wellness Plan
- Free Gift Upon Application

946 McDonald Ave, Bklyn • Ph: 718-972-2929
100-15 Queens Blvd., Forest Hills • Ph: 718-819-3131



(*for most cases)

► MEDICAL HELP WANTED

► MEDICAL HELP WANTED

ANESTHESIOLOGIST sought by Anesthesiology Associates of Boro Park LLP in Brooklyn, NY

M.D. or equiv + 60 months training
(inc. anesthesiology residency and
pediatric anesthesiology fellowship).
Must have BC/BE in Anesthesiology
& NY licensure or eligibility.

Send resume to: Gloria Ramos,
Administrator, Anesthesiology Associates
of Boro Park, L.L.P., 931 Forty Eighth
Street, Brooklyn, NY 11219
or fax to: (718)851-4892

Senior Whole Health (SWH) of New York is hiring!



Outreach Representatives

Minimum qualifications:

- New York State health insurance license required within 30-60 days
- Bi-lingual in Chinese, Spanish, Korean, other language strongly preferred
- 90% of time will be associated with travel
- Must have reliable transportation or use of NYC transit system

If you are interested in applying for a job at Senior Whole Health of New York, please forward resumes to
hr@seniorwholehealth.com or fax to 1-617-252-6303

You may also send a cover letter and resume to:
Human Resources Department
Senior Whole Health
58 Charles Street, 2nd Floor
Cambridge, MA 02141



Simple. Secure. Independent.

450 7th Ave., Suite 1601, New York, NY 10001

► HELP WANTED

\$8,000 COMPENSATION.
Women 21- 31. EGG DO-
NORS NEEDED. 100%
Confidential/ Private. Help
Turn Couples Into Families
with Physicians on The
BEST DOCTOR'S List.
1 - 8 7 7 - 9 - D O N A T E ;
1-877-936-6283;
www.longislandivf.com

AGENTS NEEDED!

High Commission
Paid!
Call Meryl for
Confidential Interview
Classic Home Sales
718-968-2222

Volunteers Needed
Have spare time during
the week? So do our
homebound seniors.
Friendly Visiting needs
local volunteers to visit
for one hour a week.
718-449-5000x2205

**Customer Service
Positions Now Available**
Some Customer Service
Experience is preferred
but not necessary; we
welcome all to apply
Please Call 718-928-0522
to schedule an interview

► HELP WANTED

CLERK
**Must Lift Heavy
Boxes Up To 150+ Lbs!**
P/T 2:30-6:30pm 6 Days
Retail, Shipping,
Computer Friendly, Good
People Skills. Will Train.
Leave Msg 718-693-0167

► HELP WANTED

Cook wanted
for Italian
/ Spanish Deli
917-843-1710

DENTAL ASSISTANT TRAINING

P/T Eve Program in
Brooklyn, Queens, L.I. &
Westchester. Placement
assist. Lic by NYSED.
1-888-595-3282
Ext 22

"The American Dream Is Ours To Defend"

Tuition Assistance • Jobs • Training

1-800-60-GUARD
NATIONALGUARD.com
NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARD

Drivers / TLC



Veteran limo company based in **LONG ISLAND CITY**
is now hiring English speaking, TLC drivers.
TOP PAYING JOBS and plenty of them.
Very busy and rapidly growing.

**WE WILL KEEP YOU BUSY AND YOU WILL MAKE MONEY:
WE PAY WEEKLY!**

No Delays • No Voucher Fees
No Radio Fees • No Dues • No Stories!
Come Join us today and start immediately
CALL BORIS NOW: 212-888-LIMO

STAFFING COORDINATOR

Needed for busy Home Care Agency
in B'klyn NY. Duties incl: Scheduling,
staffing & other office duties. Some
travel required. We offer an excellent
salary & benefits package.

**Please fax resume to
718-483-9801**

**JOB PLACEMENT
AVAILABLE
HOME HEALTH AIDE
CLASSES. F/T, P/T
Mornings & Afternoons
Weekends & Evenings
Call 718-282-8400
Or 718-282-8408
Christencher Institute of
Vocational Training**

**SAVE
MONEY**
**BY SHOPPING
IN OUR
CLASSIFIEDS**

LEGAL NOTICE

1658 HOLDINGS, LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 5/14/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Cohen Labarbera & Landrigna, LLP, 40 Matthews St., Ste. 203, Goshen, NY 10924. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

305 6TH HOLDING REALTY LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/09/2013. Office loc: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Ramon Maislen, 159 20th St., #2B-36, Brooklyn, NY 11232. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

5317 8TH REALTY, LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 6/25/13. 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, 5511 8th Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11220. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

AVENUE O HOLDINGS LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 6/21/13. 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, 2519 Ave O, Brooklyn, NY 11210. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

BUSHWICK PARTNERS REALTY LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/08/2013. Office loc: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 47 Stewart Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

Claireware Pottery LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 5/29/13. 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, c/o Weissberg, 530 1st Street, Apt. 4, Brooklyn, NY 11215. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

HIGH SCORE LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Orgs. filed with the SSNY on 6/7/13. 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, 240 25th St., Brooklyn, NY 11232. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

Kingsway Realty, LLC Arts of Org filed with NY Sec of State (SSNY) on 1/20/98. Office: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Miller Management, 1293 E 5th St, Brooklyn, NY 11230. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

MB STORE 5 LLC Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 07/11/2013. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1031 Bay Ridge Avenue, 1Fl, Brooklyn, NY 11219 which is also the principal business location. Purpose: any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

New Empire Properties LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 05/28/13. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 551 59th St., 1 Fl., Brooklyn, NY 11220. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOAH'S ARC DAY CARE LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 5/1/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 457 Belmont Ave., Apt. 1, Brooklyn, NY 11207. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 2005-2011 Realty LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 7/12/13. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: c/o Weiss, 5151 Fisher Island Dr., Miami Beach, FL 33109. Purpose: any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of American Medical Concierge, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/15/2013. Office location, County of Kings. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Harvey R. Hirschfeld, 26 Court St., 11th Flr. Brooklyn NY 11242. Purpose: any lawful act.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Bev & Bite Hospitality, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 3/25/13. 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 CSC, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, the Reg. Agt. upon whom proc. may be served. Purpose: any lawful activities.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of B. NEIL SOLUTIONS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/16/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 470

LEGAL NOTICE

Montgomery St. #1D, Bklyn, NY 11225. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: FXE INDUSTRIES LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/09/2013. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 105 East 29th Street, Apt., 9, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: 18TH STREET 19TH STREET LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/19/2013. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, C/O Marcus Attorneys, 13 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11238. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: BABYNGURU 24HOUR NEWBORN SERVICES, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/14/2013. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 1488 Sterling Place, Brooklyn, NY 11213. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: SP MODA LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/05/2013. Office location: Kings County.

LEGAL NOTICE

SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 161 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11211. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: BLACKTOP PICTURES, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/02/2013. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: JJB HOMES LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/05/2013. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 48-15 REALTY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/13/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 48 15th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11215. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: STUBBORN JEWLS LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/10/2013. 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: Mile End Production LLC, 2nd Street, #4L, Brooklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: 792 KENT, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/11/2013. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 792 Kent Ave., 1st Fl., Brooklyn, NY 11221. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: HARD ASSETS RIDING GEAR LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/29/2013. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: 421 40th Street LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/17/2013. 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: Caraballo & Mandell, LLC, 286 Madison

LEGAL NOTICE

Avenue, 22nd Fl., New York, NY 10017. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: BETTER FUTURE U.S. LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/08/2013. 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: 7A Saint Felix St, Brooklyn, NY 11217. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 6423 19th AVENUE LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/11/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Bambina, 72 Shiel Avenue, Staten Island, New York 10309. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: 350 JEFFERSON LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 01/07/2013. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 172 5th Avenue #230, Brooklyn, NY 11217. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: M & M PIO RESTAURANT LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/13/13. Office location: Kings County.

LEGAL NOTICE

SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 306 Gold Street, Brooklyn, New York 11201. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 944 FULTON ST LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/07/08. Office location: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 944 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, New York 11238. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of limited liability company (LLC). Name: OCLYN HOLDINGS, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/03/2013. 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: Nathan J. Seifert, Esq., 65 Route 4 East, River Edge, NJ 07661. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that an Order entered by the Civil Court, Kings County on 08/20/2013, bearing Index Number NC-000968-13/KI, a copy of which may be examined at the Office of the Clerk, located at 141 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201, grants me (us) the right to: Assume the name of (First) Kevyn (Last) Garnett. My present name is (First) Myrvin (Middle) Kevyn (Last) Garnett AKA Myrvin K. Garnett. My present address is 836 Cleveland St., Brooklyn, NY 11208-. My place of birth is Brooklyn, New York. My date of birth is July 16, 1986.

Jacobs drops foe to win title

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

The only thing Danny Jacobs remembers about the biggest punch of his career was how enraged he was when he threw it.

The Brownsville native abandoned his game plan after veteran opponent Giovanni Lorenzo head butted him in the third round and cut him under his left eye. Jacobs immediately went on the attack.

“I really don’t remember what combination I threw,” Jacobs said. “I’m excited to see the replay. I blacked out. I just wanted to hurt him.”

What he’ll see on the tape is a flurry of angry punches backing Lorenzo onto the ropes, and Jacobs eventually dropping his opponent to the canvas with a vicious right hook for a technical knockout win at the 2:05 mark of the third round at the Best Buy Theater in Times Square on Monday night.

The punch earned Jacobs the vacant World Boxing Council Continental Americas Middleweight title.

It is also the first time Lorenzo (32–6, 24 KOs), a 32-year-old veteran of numerous world-title bouts, has been stopped in his career.



RETRIBUTION: Brooklyn’s Danny Jacobs throws a right hook during his fight against Giovanni Lorenzo at the Best Buy Theater on Aug. 19 after Lorenzo head-butted the cancer-beating “Miracle Man.” Photo by Robert Cole

Jacobs, nicknamed “Miracle Man” after coming back from a cancer that paralyzed him, believes the victory moves him closer to a world title fight.

“The fact that he’s never been stopped before gave me a boost of confidence,” said Jacobs (26–1, 23 KOs). “It gave me the idea of me being a world champion. I know that I belong.”

Jacobs reveled in having his

glove raised and a championship belt strapped around his waist of the first time. He thanked the strong contingent of Brooklyn fans for coming out to support him, and eventually leapt atop the ring post to raise the green and gold belt in triumph.

The bout was a big moment in Jacobs’ career, which was nearly derailed when spinal cancer left his legs partially paralyzed. He was told he would never fight again, but instead he persevered to earn his own main event — and got to launch the Golden Boy Live fight series on Fox Sports 1.

“God has been touching my life and my career in such a perfect way, if you think about what I’ve been through and where I came back from,” Jacobs said.

Jacobs represents much more than himself every time he steps in the ring. He knows he is a role model for those who are battling or have beaten cancer.

“Where I come from, man, sometimes you just have to bite down and you just got to fight,” Jacobs said. “I’ve been plenty of times with my back against the wall and I rise like a Phoenix.”

Cyclones

Continued from page 30

tive singles to load the bases, and a wild pitch allowed King to make it home. Matt “Bright Eyes” Oberste and Colton Plaia followed up with consecutive RBIs to take the game back.

Cyclones 3 Staten Island 2

Aug. 19 at MCU Park

The Clones took the first of the two shortened games in dramatic fashion when Kale Sumner was tagged out at home plate by catcher Eddie Rohan for the last out of the game.

Rohan put the first points on the board in the third, making it home on a throwing error. Patrick “To Infinity and” Biondi hit an RBI single in the fifth to put another run on.

The Cyclones were up 3–1 in the seventh, when the Yankees loaded the bases on three straight walks by Cristian Chivilli. David Wynn entered the game and gave up a single to Tejeda that scored one run. But Jared King’s throw to Rohan made it just in time to tag Sumner and save the game.

Staten Island 5 Cyclones 2

Aug. 19 at MCU Park

A nightmare seventh inning plagued the Cyclones as they used three different pitchers, who walked three batters and allowed two runs to score in the second game of the doubleheader.

Tomas Nido started things off for the Clones with a two-run double in the second, but the Cyclones only recorded one more hit the rest of the way, as they were stymied by the Staten Island pitching, which struck out 12 batters.

Meanwhile, the Yankees added three runs in the third on an RBI by Cyclone killer Yeicok Calderon and a two-run double by Mike Ford.

Ricky Knapp allowed two players to get on in the seventh by a hit and a walk, so Johnny Magliozzi replaced him, but he went on to walk two straight batters and allowed two runs to score.

Magliozzi got upset with the umpire and was tossed from the game, forcing Ismael Tijerina, normally a shortstop, to step in and finish the game, who struck out the last batter in a wild finish.

Brooklyn’s boys

Continued from page 29

He and his teammates fought their way back into the game with defense, in true city style. They pressed full court after trailing 47–26 at the break and began to get easy baskets in transition. Carrington scored eight of his 19 points, including a reverse layup with 15 seconds left in the big third quarter to help New York City get within 58–54 heading into the fourth. The Rutgers-bound Williams added 11 points.

“They’re top players in New York,” Whitehead said of the Loughlin guards. “They showed that today.”

Whitehead became a facilitator in the fourth to help Williams get heated up. The city was trying to fend off the hot shooting of Rosedale Catholic star Isaiah Brisco. Williams buried a 3-pointer from the corner to get the city within 78–75 with 1:17 left in regulation and converted a layup of an ally-oop pass from Whitehead to tie the score at 78–78 with 41 seconds remaining to force overtime.

“I don’t know how he saw me,” Williams said of Whitehead on the pass.

After their team eventually prevailed, Carrington, Williams and Whitehead left the court feeling they had defended their home turf and earned some bragging rights against New Jersey thanks to some New York City toughness when they easily could have crumbled.

“We kept our composure and showed a lot of heart,” Whitehead said. “That’s New York City basketball.”

Catholic girls’ leagues take big step forward

Girls’ sports in the Catholic High School Athletic Association league are heading for a long-overdue change.

The girls’ leagues will soon begin moving toward a multi-tiered intersectional format with AA, A and B divisions across all major sports, according to intersectional coordinator and Mary Louis athletic director Joe Lewinger.

Currently, girls’ teams play league games in their separate dioceses with no true city playoffs.

Catholic school boys’ teams, on the other hand, have competed in citywide playoffs for decades.

The process of finally changing that starts this fall with non-league crossover games between squads from the Brooklyn-Queens and Bronx-Westchester leagues. It’s an attempt to gauge teams’ level of play in order to help league officials put together an intersectional system as early as the 2014-2015 season that will provide better quality games — particularly for the leagues’ lower-level teams.

In soccer, Brooklyn-Queens Class AA teams had crossed over with Staten Island clubs in a similar manner for the last two years.

“What we are trying to do is address the parity situation in different leagues in the city,” Lewinger said. “We want to be able to increase the opportunities for competitive play on every level.”

The move was spurred by a competition disparity within the individual diocesan leagues, and a lack of competitive teams for games in leagues like Brooklyn-Queen’s top soccer and volleyball divisions.

This fall’s soccer and volleyball seasons start the process, and for the first time in the girls’ leagues, soccer will feature a true citywide championship game between the Brooklyn-Queens and Archdiocesan winner, scheduled for Nov. 6.

In Brooklyn, that means teams like St. Edmund and



JOE KNOWS

by Joe Staszewski

Bishop Kearney will cross over to play teams like St. Vincent Ferrer and St. Catharine in soccer, and Fontbonne Hall will take on Preston and Spellman in volleyball. Softball will feature similar matchups. In basketball, there will be crossover days on Nov. 23 at Monsignor Scanlan and Preston for the lower-level teams like St. Saviour and St. Edmund, and on Dec. 1 at Christ the King featuring some of the leagues’ top programs such as Bishop Loughlin.

“We are trying to use these games to assess where everyone kind of fits in,” Lewinger said. “So looking toward 2014-2015, we can hopefully come up with a system that works.”

This step is important because it’s an opportunity not just for teams to get to know each other, but for the coaches to start working together as well. At a meeting at St. John’s Prep in April, Lewinger said he saw many coaches introducing themselves to each other.

“Some may have never heard of each other’s school, and there they were giving an honest assessment of their programs,” Lewinger said.

More work and obstacles lie ahead, but this is an important step forward for the league in providing the athletes with a better experience and competition.



CYCLONES CONFIDENTIAL

Pennant drive is on for our Cyclones

**Cyclones 3
Hudson Valley 1**

Aug. 14 at MCU Park

The Cyclones used a three-run eighth inning to stun the Renegades last Thursday.

Gavin Cecchini recorded the only hit for the Cyclones in the opening inning, but the Clones didn't record another hit until late in the game. Meanwhile, Hudson Valley scored on a sacrifice fly that seemed to be the winning margin until the eighth.

In the eighth, Patrick "To Infinity and" Biondi led off with a single and Ismael Tijerina reached first on a fielding error that also moved Biondi to second. Cecchini hit a deep sacrifice fly on two strikes to tie the game.

Alex Sanchez walked before James "Papa" Roche hit a single, loading the bases. A wild pitch allowed Tijerina to score the go-ahead run, and Matt "Bright Eyes" Oberste hit another RBI single to score Sanchez.

**Hudson Valley 6
Cyclones 4**

Aug. 15 at Hudson Valley

Hudson Valley used a four-run seventh inning to break open a tied game and the Cyclones came up just short in the loss that dropped the Clones back to .500.

With the game tied in the seventh, Renegades' Oscar Hernandez and Granden Goetzman singled and Tyler Young walked to load the bases, paving the way for John Alexander's bases-clearing triple. Alexander later scored on a passed ball.

The Cyclones put a dent in the lead in the top of the eighth when Gavin Cecchini hit an infield single and James "Papa" Roche hit his third home run of the year.

The comeback attempt fell short in the ninth, however, when Cyclones' batters went down in order.

**Cyclones 6
Vermont 4**

Aug. 16 at MCU Park

James "Papa" Roche hit



YERRRRR OUT!: Clones catcher Eddie Rohan tags out the Yankees' Kale Sumner at home to preserve the win during Monday's first of two games against Staten Island. Photo by Steve Solomonson

his second home run in as many nights and Johnny Magliozzi pulled the Cyclones out of a late jam to pick up the save over Vermont.

The Clones fell behind early, but Roche quickly tied the game in the second with a dinger over the left field wall.

Brooklyn piled on three

more in the third when Anthony Chavez singled and Vermont walked the next three batters to send Chavez home. Jared King and Roche hit consecutive RBI singles to drive in Patrick "To Infinity and" Biondi and Gavin Cecchini for the big cushion.

Vermont cut into the lead and put the Cyclones in

a jam in the eighth by getting two runners on base with no outs. But Magliozzi entered and retired all six batters he saw for the save.

**Vermont 1
Cyclones 0**

Aug. 17 at MCU Park

An RBI single by Vermont's Jaycob Brugman was enough to beat the Cyclones, whose bats were kept silent by Vermont pitching.

Both starting pitchers went deep into the game, keeping most batters off the bases. Clones' starter Miller Diaz pitched six innings, striking out seven batters. The lone run came in the sixth, when Ryan Huck doubled to deep center, made it to third on a fly-out, and then Brugman proceeded to hit the RBI single to right field.

The Cyclones got one hit in each of the first five innings, but only one runner could advance past first base.

Gavin Cecchini was perfect from the plate, hitting four singles in as many at-

bats in the loss. But Cecchini only made it past first base once and the Clones never threatened to score.

**Cyclones 6
Vermont 4**

Aug. 18 at MCU Park

The Cyclones used six hits to score three runs in a wild eighth inning to come back to beat Vermont on Sunday.

The Cyclones took a 3-1 lead into the eighth inning on RBIs by Anthony Chavez, L.J. "Mini-Maz" Mazzilli and Jared King. Rob "Not-so-silent G" Gsellman pitched all seven innings, striking out five batters.

But as soon as David Wynn took the mound, the Vermont bats exploded with a single and a double, followed by two straight walks, allowing one run to score. A sacrifice fly scored another run, and James "Papa" Roche committed a throwing error, allowing another run to score.

The Clones responded when King, Roche, and Alex Sanchez hit consecutively. *Continued on page 31*

I'm applying for an
MCU Auto Loan today...
...because I just can't live without her.

Whatever your reason,
getting your auto loan at
MCU makes perfect sense.

New
Low Rate!

**FIXED RATES
AS LOW AS
1.95%
APR***

Apply today, call 1-888-4MCU-AUTO or visit nymcu.org



* These rates are available to well-qualified borrowers when payroll deduction or direct deposit is selected as the method of repayment. Some applicants will qualify at higher rates as determined by creditworthiness. For model years 2013-2012, your payments will consist of 60 monthly payments of \$17.51 on each \$1,000 borrowed at 1.95% APR. For model year 2011, your payments will consist of 60 monthly payments of \$16.08 on each \$1,000 borrowed at 2.15% APR. Some restrictions apply. Rates will increase after closing if you stop paying your loan by automatic payroll deduction or direct deposit. Rates subject to change without notice. Competitive rates available for older models and refinances. Membership required. Federally insured by NCUA



For more
information,
scan
the code.



● 'If we don't get a change, then I'm sorry. I just can't play.'

— Jefferson football captain Jonathan Troche on getting former coach Stephen Edwards back.

● 'I rise like a Phoenix when my back is against the wall.'

— Boxer Danny "Mircale Man" Jacobs

Jefferson players boycott gridiron for ousted coach

Orange Wave could crash this season over controversial firing

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Stephen Edwards has been fired as Thomas Jefferson High School's head football coach after six seasons because of a weight room accident back in March, and the move may prevent the Orange Wave from fielding a true varsity team this season.

With Edwards gone — and his trusted assistant coach Gus Cyrus quitting in solidarity — any of the squad's returning players have considered transferring, or are simply refusing to play for new head man Frederick Nash and his staff, according to team captain Jonathan Troche.

"Losing them is like a slap in the face, because these are guys that really give an arm and leg out for all of us," Trouche said.

Edwards said principal James Anderson fired him in May because of a weight room injury sustained by rising junior Christian Valles Rivera. Valles Rivera chipped his tooth when he leaned too far down during a workout and was hit in the mouth with a bar while spotting for a teammate at a workout, according to Cyrus.

Cyrus, who has handled the bulk of game-day coaching responsibilities, was supervising the workout alone because Edwards was running late because of a flat tire.

Cyrus said Valles Rivera left without telling anyone and he only found out about it when Valles Rivera's parents came back with their son shortly afterwards to ask what happened, and the matter was deemed an accident.

Cyrus didn't even tell Edwards about the incident when he arrived because Cyrus felt the situation was cleared up, but Valles Rivera and his parents filed a report with the school later that week.

The incident led to fallout beyond Valles Rivera's dental damage because Department of Education rules require that a certified teacher with a file number be present for all team workouts, games and practices. Since



GOT YOUR BACK: Former Jefferson coach Stephen Edwards, in sunglasses, stands behind his players after an All-Star game. Now, after his firing, his players are standing behind him.

Photo courtesy of Stephen Edwards

Cyrus was a parent coordinator at the school, not a teacher, the workout technically should not have been allowed to start until Edwards arrived.

Still, Edwards feels the events didn't merit him being fired.

"I've done nothing wrong," he said.

"I let the kids in," said Cyrus. "It was my fault. That's how we did it."

Edwards tried to file a grievance through the union, but said it would not take up his case.

Anderson referred all inquiries to the Department of Education, but department spokesperson Margie Feinberg said she could not comment on the incident because it is under investigation.

Troche organized an in-between-period sit-in outside Anderson's office in May, attended by more than 300 kids, in hopes of getting their coaches back, but to no avail.

Nash, Edwards's defensive coordinator during his first season, has organized workouts for the team, but they have been under-attended so far, according to Troche. Nash did not return calls seeking comment.

Trouche said he went for the first week of workouts, but the team eventually decided to band together to try and get their old coaching staff back. The Orange Wave had just 33 kids on the varsity roster last season and only 27 on the junior varsity with the season set to open Sept. 7 at home against Boys & Girls. The players say they have no problem losing an entire season for Edwards and Cyrus.

"Most of the captains right now, they are trying to stand strong and miss practice because we want a change," Trouche said. "If we don't get a change then I'm sorry. I just can't play."

Rising junior running back Eugene Qualls has already chosen to transfer, Edwards said.

Other players, like rising senior offensive lineman Joseph Arroyo, are considering going elsewhere if Edwards isn't rehired.

"We want him back," said Arroyo, who may head to Florida.

Thomas Jefferson has been one of the Public School Athletic League's fastest-rising programs in recent years under Edwards and Cyrus.

The team won the league's Bowl Division title in 2008 and have since moved up to City Championship division, the league's top division. Last year the Orange Wave went 6-2 before being upset in the opening round of the playoffs. Jefferson has produced four Division I players on Edwards's watch, including Ebenezer Ogundeko (now at Clemson) and has a strong record of kids graduating.

The school's current players are not happy to see their coaches gone.

"They do way more than what is expected," Trouche said. "Losing them, it kind of hurts."



WE ARE THE CHAMPIONS: From left, Khadeen Carrington, Most-Valuable Player Isaiah Whitehead, and Mike Williams celebrate leading the New York City team from a 21-point deficit to win the title at the Nike Tournament of Champions.

Photo by Joseph Staszewski

Brooklyn's boys give city the win

Borough stars save Nike game

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Bishop Loughlin guards Khadeen Carrington and Mike Williams did the grunt work at the Nike Tournament of Champions, sparking their New York City boy's hoops team back from a 21-point halftime deficit, while Abraham Lincoln star Isaiah Whitehead struggled to find his scoring stroke.

But it was Whitehead's time to shine when the city's all-star team managed to force overtime against its New Jersey counterpart at the tournament, and Williams made sure to let Whitehead know he had to close the deal.

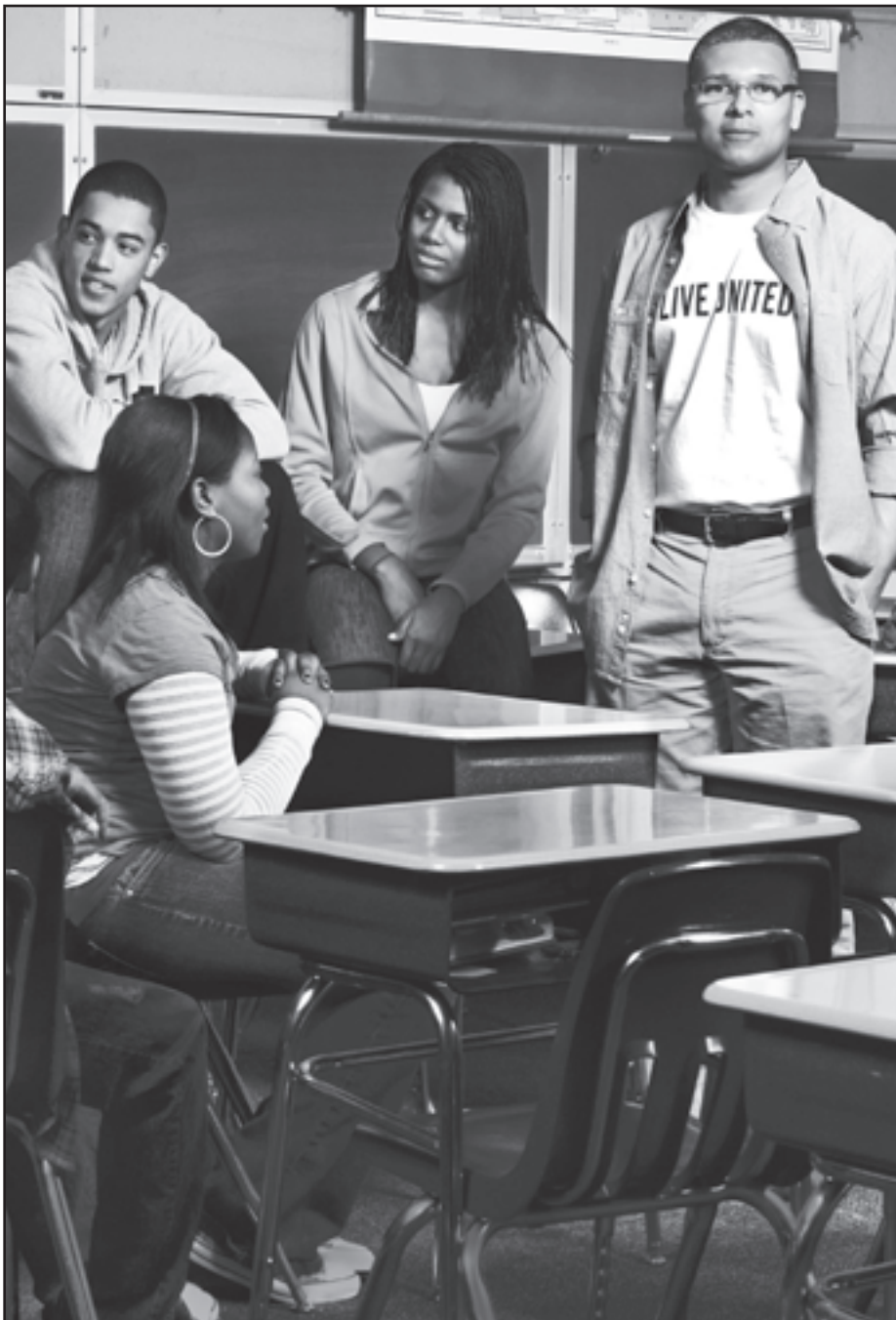
"I told him, 'Yo, you have to take us home,'" Williams said. "'Every-one says you're one of the best players in New York. It's time to show up.'"

Whitehead did not disappoint.

The rising senior scored 25 points overall, with 20 coming in the second half, and nine in overtime to propel New York City to a thrilling 90-88 win over New Jersey in the Nike Tournament of Champions title game at the Brooklyn Navy Yard's Duggal Greenhouse on Saturday. Whitehead, who also had 29 points in the semifinals, was named the game's most valuable player. His spinning layup to start the overtime gave the city its first lead of the game.

"I knew my shots would fall sooner or later," said Whitehead. "I couldn't make anything. I was making air balls, missing layups. I just kept my composure and kept shooting."

Continued on page 31



INSTEAD OF JUST HANGING OUT ON SATURDAYS
I HELP KIDS HANG IN THERE
AT SCHOOL

BECAUSE I DON'T JUST WEAR THE SHIRT, I LIVE IT.
GIVE. ADVOCATE. VOLUNTEER. LIVE UNITED®

Michael Cleveland is part of United Way's ongoing work to improve the education, income, and health of our communities. To find out how you can help create opportunities for a better life for all, visit LIVEUNITED.ORG.



LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of MW VENTURE GROUP, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/08/13. Office location: Kings County. Princ. office of LLC: 3075 Brighton 13th St., Brooklyn, NY 11235. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC at the addr. of its princ. office. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of Visual Inclination, LLC. Arts of Org filed with Secy. of State of New York (SSNY) on 5/20/13. NY office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 68 Greenpoint Ave., Studio 2, Brooklyn, NY 11222. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Winstar Trading LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 5/3/13. Office location: Kings County. Princ. bus. addr.: 5806 6th Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11220. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: c/o Sung and Hum, 305 Broadway, Ste. 302, NY, NY 10007. Purpose: any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

SHFUSE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 05/15/13. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Sean McCormack, 225 Adams St., 12G, Brooklyn, NY 11201. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

SOCK HOLDING, LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Orgs. filed with the SSNY on 4/11/13. 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, c/o John Vento CPA, P.C., 95 New Dorp Ln., Staten Island, NY 10306. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

STI GROUP, LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 5/23/13. 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, 14C 53rd St., Brooklyn, NY 11232. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

TONG TONG REALTY DEVELOPMENT LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 6/18/13. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom

LEGAL NOTICE

process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1060 66th St., Brooklyn, NY 11219. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

YCJ3 LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 6/13/13. 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, 158 85th St., Brooklyn, NY 11209. General Purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of professional limited liability company (PLLC). Name: INSIGHT VISION OPTOMETRY, PLLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/24/2013. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 2977 Shore Parkway, Brooklyn, NY 11235. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that an Order entered by the Civil Court, Kings County on 08/20/2013, bearing Index Number NC-000969-13/KI, a copy of which may be examined at the Office of the Clerk, located at 141

LEGAL NOTICE

Livingston Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201, grants me (us) the right to: Assume the name of (First) Rebecca (Middle) Thomas (Last) Christou. My present name is (First) Rebecca (Middle) Suzanne (Last) Christou AKA Rebecca Suzanne Thomas. My present address is 66 N. 1st Street, Brooklyn, NY 11249-. My place of birth is Fauquier County, Virginia. My date of birth is October 17, 1983.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that an Order entered by the Civil Court, Kings County on 08/19/2013, bearing Index Number NC-000963-13/KI, a copy of which may be examined at the Office of the Clerk, located at 141 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201, grants me (us) the right to: Assume the name of (First) Dwayne (Last) Cash. My present name is (First) Dwayne (Middle) Leroy (Last) Greene AKA Dwayne Leroy Cash AKA Dwayne L. Cash. My present address is 1560 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, NY 11213-. My place of birth is New York, N.Y. My date of birth is February 02, 1980.

SAVE MONEY

BY SHOPPING IN OUR CLASSIFIEDS

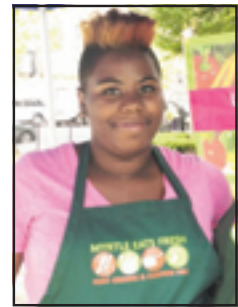
**Find Your
New Career in Our
Learn to Earn
Education &
Career Training
Section**



Greene acres is where you want to be

FORT GREENE

Dominique Bryant has brought the green into Fort Greene. Not only president of the **Ingersoll Residents Association**, where she provides leadership to the nearly 4,000 person housing development, but she also helps run the **Myrtle Avenue Farm Stand** every Wednesday from 8 am to 3 pm now through October.



While dishin' with the neighbors, and representing the Myrtle Avenue Revitalization Project, she gets to dish out fresh veggies and fresh baked bread, and discuss issues like affordable fruits for the residents in an area that is fast becoming a foodie haven with great restaurants and new dining adventures, but just a few supermarkets.

Standing O pal Dominique, in her spare time, also visits with day-care, senior, and health centers, and advises on enrolling in and using benefits at the local fresh food outlets.

Standing O says, "Nobody does it better when it comes to greening Fort Greene."

Myrtle Avenue Farm Stand [Myrtle and North Portland avenues in Fort Greene, (718) 230-1689].

SHEEPSHEAD BAY

Double the pleasure

Hats off to **Patricia Flaherty**, a volunteer at **Crown Nursing Home**, for receiving the 2013 Adult Volunteer of the Year Award from the New York State Health Facilities Association, and to Crown Nursing & Rehabilitation Center for receiving the 2013 Innovative Practice Award for its culture change program called "Circle of Life," from the same organization.

Patricia has volunteered for the past 15 years spending more than 1,000 hours in the last year alone visiting with residents, leading craft sessions, and running bingo games. **Vilma Osborne**, administrator at Crown, said, "Her volunteerism is truly exemplary."

Crown Nursing & Rehabilitation center offers so many innovative programs that it's no wonder Patricia volunteers there. And it's no wonder the facility was recognized for its Circle of Life program. "We are proud to be recognized with this award for this successful program," added Vilma.

Standing O is proud of Patricia and Crown.

Crown Nursing & Rehabilitation Center [3457 Nostrand Ave. at Avenue U in Sheepshead Bay, (718) 535-5100].



TEDDY BEARS AND FLOWERS: Louise Edelman celebrates her 105th birthday.

Photo by Steve Solomonson

Teddy bears & balloons for birthday bash

CONEY ISLAND

O.M.G., **Louise Edelman** celebrated her 105th b-day on Aug. 13 and Standing O was there. The uber centenarian has been featured in Standing O for the past two years, and let me tell you, she is one heck of a fan. She has been living in **Scheuer House** since 1992 and never fails to read our column, and without specs, too!

Our roving photog **Steve Solomonson** snapped the festivities at her recent fete with balloons, gifts, a teddy bear, and one big cake and tells Standing O "She's still reading us cover to cover."

The once prima ballerina stays young at heart and maintains she really doesn't know the secret with her longevity, but she is truly grateful to have been blessed with the time. As she has said in the past, "You know, I just live."

Old-time friend **Judd Fischler** was with her once again to celebrate the happy day and told Standing O, "I am continually inspired by her." So is Standing O.

Standing O extends last year's wish for Louise, "Here's to another 100 birthdays, we still need all the fans we can get."

JASA Scheuer House of Coney Island [3601 Surf Ave. at W. 37th Street in Coney Island, (718) 373-3650].

DYKER HEIGHTS

Opera sono buono

Thanks to the titans of government, council members **Vincent Gentile** (D-Dyker) and **Sara Gonazlez**, (D-Sunset Park), the **Regina Opera Company** received some much-needed funding.

The extra gelt will help it cover the costs of free performances at public libraries, cultural festivals, and parks, as well as its main stage opera productions. These monies keep the ticket prices low so we can all

enjoy affordable opera right here in our very own little town.

Standing O says, "Bravissima."

Regina Opera Company [1251 Tabor Ct. at 65th Street in Dyker Heights, (718) 232-3555].

VINEGAR HILL

Come on down

Welcome to **David Ehrenberg**, the newly appointed president and CEO of the **Brooklyn Navy Yard Development Corp**.



SHEEPSHEAD BAY

Happily engaged

Is there a better place to propose to your future bride than on the Wonder Wheel?

Standing O says, "No way," and there was no way that Sheepshead resident **Jaimie Lebovic** could say "No" to **Bryan Hochman** when he got down on one knee and asked for her hand as the ride arched its way over the peak.

With a beautiful starry night and the ocean behind them, how could she say "No?" Of course, she didn't.

The bride's mom **Nancy Lebovic** broke it down for Standing O:

"The sun was setting, the view was gorgeous and my daughter said, 'I will never, ever forget it.'"

Standing O will make sure that none of us will.

"What a wonderful way for two people to start off their lives together," the soon-to-be mother-in-law added.

It just proves once again that Coney Island is the place that dreams are made of.

Standing O offers congratulations to the happy betrothals and sends a toast:

"May your lives together be like the Wheel — long and full of wonder."

tion. The organization manages the 300 acre, city-owned industrial park. David and his team will oversee the development, upgrade the yard's infrastructure, and improve the yard's employment programs.

Hey, it's a big job, but someone has to do it, and David is just the guy. He's fresh off a gig at the New York City Economic Development Corporation where he played a pivotal role in fulfilling Mayor Bloomberg's five borough economic development program. And we all know what a task master the mayor is.

The Navy Yard is getting the best, say his backers.

"David will no doubt continue to lead the Navy Yard along its impressive path and his track record of advancing major development projects makes him an outstanding choice as leader of the Brooklyn Navy Yard," said hizzoner hizzself.

Standing O cheerfully agrees!

Brooklyn Navy Yard Development Corp [63 Flushing Ave. in Vinegar Hill, (718) 907-5900].



DUDE!
It's
Monday.

And we're
waiting
for you.



CasaPepe 114 Bay Ridge Ave. • (Off Colonial Rd.)
718-833-8865 • www.casapepe.com
Open Tuesday - Sunday Dinner • Brunch • Private Parties

A New Take on Japanese Fast Food



GENEROUS PORTIONS



REFILLABLE SODA



Teriyaki Japan
Express Grill

TERIYAKI COMBOS:
Beef • Chicken • Shrimp • Tofu • Chicken Tempura • Shrimp Tempura • Vegetable Tempura • Fish Tempura
SUSHI • KIDS MENU • MANY SIDES TO CHOOSE FROM: Gyoza, Edamame, Teriyaki Wings and More!

ALWAYS FRESH!

GET ONE SPRING ROLL & ONE SOFT DRINK
FOR JUST \$1
With a purchase of "any entree"

FREE WI-FI AND CHARGER OUTLETS
Come in and give us a try!
Find us on Facebook

6814 4th Ave • Brooklyn, NY 11220 • 718.833.3068 • www.teriyakijapan.asia
Mon. - Thur. 11am - 11pm • Fri. - Sat. 11am - 11:30pm • Sun. 12 Noon - 11pm

15% OFF DINNER

DINE IN ONLY WITH THIS AD

7308 - 3rd Ave. • Bay Ridge
718-833-8818/718-833-8878



GINGER
Sushi & Asian Cuisine
Hibachi

FREE Delivery (min. order \$8)
LUNCH • DINNER • Open 7 Days

FREE Rainbow Roll or Dragon Roll
- with purchase of \$40



Ask about our "SUSHI PARTY" to go Menu!

www.haruginger.com || Specializing in Hibachi, Sushi, Shashimi

JORDAN'S RETAIL MARKET

LOBSTER SALE
3 FOR \$30

• GUARANTEED TO AVERAGE OVER 1 1/4 LBS EACH
• LIVE OR STEAMED NO LIMIT
• RETAIL-MARKET ONLY
• OTHER-SIZES AVAILABLE

ALL OFFERS EXP 9/9/13

JORDAN'S LOBSTER DOCK RESTAURANT

LOBSTER DINNER
GENUINE STATE O'MAINE LOBSTER
GUARANTEED TO AVG. OVER 1 1/4 LBS.
STEAMED OR BROILED
SINGLE \$20 + TAX
TWIN \$30 + TAX

FISH & CHIPS SPECIAL
FRESH FILET
• BROILED OR FRIED
\$10 + TAX

- INCLUDES COLE SLAW • PREMIUM IDAHO FRENCH FRIES OR CORN ON THE COB (ADD \$4.00)
- CUP OF ANY CHOWDER OR BISQUE (ADD \$4.00)
- STEVE'S AUTHENTIC KEY LIME PIE, CHOCOLATE OR CHEESECAKE (ADD \$4.00)

MARKET SPECIALS & MENU ONLINE: JORDANSLOBSTER.COM
CORNER OF 2771 KNAPP ST. & BELT PKWY (EXIT 9 OR 9A) SHEEPSHEAD BAY BKLYN
GPS: 3165 HARKNESS AVE. (Across from the UA Movies)

ZAGAT RATED EXCELLENT

1-800-404-CLAW
Hours: Sun.-Thurs. 9am-10pm • Fri. & Sat. 9am-11pm

FREE PARKING

SISTAS

the Musical

"A Winner!"
— NY Beacon

WINNER 2011
Midtown International
Theatre Festival

"Sweet and Sassy!"
— NY Times

SAVE OVER 40% TICKETS JUST \$39.50*!



A joyful musical celebration of life, love and family!

St. Luke's Theatre, 308 W 46th St
Saturday @ 4:30 pm & Sunday @ 4:30 pm
Broadwayoffers.com 212.947.8844 and use code: SIEMAIL39

SistasTheMusical.com

Special rates for groups call 212.977.5925



*Offer subject to availability. Tickets reg. \$69.50. Regular service charges apply to phone and internet sales. Other restrictions may apply.

Need A Getaway?



**Scheduled Bus Trips All Year Round
Over 250 tours to choose from**

- Cape May, Philadelphia & Newport
- Penn Dutch Amish Tour
- Maine, New Hampshire & Vermont
- Montreal, Quebec, Niagara Falls, 1000 Islands, Ottawa & Toronto
- Finger Lakes, Cooperstown
- Cape Cod & Martha's Vineyard
- Lobster & Crab Feasts
- Lake George, West Point, Buffalo
- Baltimore, Chicago, Cleveland
- Casinos, Theatres & Shopping
- Sight & Sound Theatres
- Gettysburg, Montauk, Boston

**CALL FOR
FREE
BROCHURE**



L & M Tours

6812 3rd Ave Brooklyn, NY 11220

718-238-2284

www.lmtours.net

info@lmtours.net



GREENHOUSE CAFE



LUNCH | DINNER | BRUNCH



Friday, 8/23 - Tom Cat & The Whiskey Rats @ 9pm
Saturday, 8/24 - Frankie Marra Band @ 10pm
Sunday, 8/25 - Tommy & Maryellen @ 6pm
Friday, 8/30 - Uncle Jack @ 10pm
Saturday, 8/31 - High Tides @ 10pm
Sunday, 9/1 - Labor Day Party with Uncle Ripp @ 8pm

7717 3rd Ave.
Bay Ridge

New York City Restaurant Week

Now thru Labor Day

Reservations
Suggested

COMPLETE LUNCH

Choice Of Appetizer

Caesar Salad • Eggplant Rolletini • Fried Calamari • Pasta Du Jour • French Onion Soup
Dinner Salad • Stuffed Mushrooms • Zuppa De Mussels • Seafood Salad • Soup Du Jour

Choice Of Entrée

Sautéed Shrimp Scampi • Boneless Chicken Breast • Roast Loin Of Pork • Broiled Tilapia
Rigatoni Broccoli Rabe • Penne Ala Vodka • Fish And Chips
Linguini Primavera • Fresh Baked Lasagna • Seafood Linguini • Steak Sandwich

Choice Of Dessert

Lemon Sherbet • Chocolate Mousse • Brownie • Rainbow Sherbet • Vanilla Ice Cream
Cheesecake • Chocolate Ice Cream • Fresh Fruit Plate • Apple Strudel

Complete Lunch \$25⁰⁰ + Tax and Gratuity

COMPLETE DINNER

Appetizer

Sour Du Jour • Stuffed Mushrooms • Seafood Salad • Pasta The Day • French Onion Soup
Caesar Salad • Eggplant Rolletini • Fried Calamari • Baked Clams • Shrimp Cocktail
Zuppa De Mussels • Fresh Fruit Plate

Entrée

French Cut Chicken Breast • Roasted Boneless Pork Chop • Grilled Lemon Herb Chicken Breast
Rack Of Lamb • Filet Mignon • Twin 5oz Lobster Tails • Surf & Turf • Stuffed Red Snapper
Shrimp With Pecan Pesto • Grilled Tuna • Catch Of The Day **Chefs Daily Choice**
All Entrees Served With Fresh Vegetables And Potato Or Rice

Dessert

Cheesecake • Tiramisu • Ice Cream Or Sherbet • Brownie Overload • Chocolate Mousse
Chocolate Mousse Pie • Mousse Pie Cheesecake • Apple Strudel • Fresh Fruit Plate

Coffee Or Tea

Complete Dinner \$38⁰⁰ + Tax and Gratuity

FRI, AUG. 23

ART, "ALBUM TRACKS: Subway Record Covers": Exhibition celebrates album artwork that features the New York City subway and elevated system. \$7 (\$5 children and seniors). 10 am–4 pm. New York Transit Museum [Boerum Place at Schermerhorn Street in Downtown, (718) 694–1600], www.mta.info/mta/museum.

MUSIC, BAROQUE MUSIC: Performance by the Macao Youth Symphony Orchestra. **Free.** 10:30 am. Shore Hill Neighborhood Center [9000 Shore Rd. at 91st Street in Bay Ridge, (718) 630–7588], www.lmcmc.com/OurFacilities/SeniorHousing.

TOUR, BATTLE OF BROOKLYN NEIGHBORHOOD WALK: Led by Professor William J. Parry. \$12 (\$10 Old Stone House members). 6–8:30 pm. Grand Army Plaza entrance [Prospect Park West and Flatbush Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 768–3195], theoldstonehouse.org.

READING, DAVID EWALT: Author of "Of Dice and Men: The Story of Dungeons & Dragons and the People Who Play It." **Free.** 7:30 pm. Greenlight Bookstore [686 Fulton St. between S. Elliott Place and S. Portland Avenue in Fort Greene, (718) 246–0200], greenlightbookstore.com.

FILM, "WHO FRAMED ROGER RABBIT?": Bring a chair or blanket enjoy refreshments and take a chance on a fifty/fifty raffle. **Free.** 8 pm. Narrows Botanical Gardens [Shore Road at 71st Street in Bay Ridge, (718) 748 4810].

FILM, "SMORGASBORD OF SHORTS": As part of The Art of Brooklyn Film Festival. \$10. 8 pm. St. Francis College [180 Remsen St. between Court and Clinton streets in Brooklyn Heights, (718) 489–5200], www.aobff.org.

THEATER, "WILLY WONKA": Narrows Community Theater's Summer Youth Ensemble performs the musical. \$20 (\$15 seniors and students, \$10 children). 8 pm. Fort Hamilton Army Base Theater [101st Street and Fort Hamilton Parkway in Fort Hamilton, (718) 482–3173], www.NarrowsCommunityTheater.com.

MUSIC, DAVE DAWDA, THE FUTURE SCARES ME, ALEX MALLETT & FRIENDS: **Free.** 8 pm. Freddy's Bar [627 Fifth Ave. between 17th and 18th streets in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768–0131], www.freddysbar.com.

MUSIC, MEWITHOUTYOU, A GREAT BIG PILE OF LEAVES: 16+ show. \$19 (\$16 in advance). 8 pm. Bell House [149 Seventh St. at Third Avenue in Gowanus, (718) 643–6510], www.thebellhouseny.com.

THEATER, "ODD.A.SEE": A modern telling of Homer's classic by Exquisite Corpse

Company. \$35. 8 pm. Arts@ Renaissance [2 Kingsland Ave. at Maspeth Avenue in Williamsburg], www.renaissancecnbk.org.

THE DADA BALL: A surreal burlesque show. \$15. 10 pm. Sideshows by the Seashore [1208 Surf Ave. between W. 12th Street and Stillwell Avenue in Coney Island, (718) 372–5159], www.coneyisland.com.

SAT, AUG. 24

FAMILY FIELD DAY: Games, sports and activities for children 4 to 10 years old. **Free.** 10 am–1 pm. Brooklyn Bridge Park Pier 5 [Joralemon and Front streets in Brooklyn Heights], www.nycgovparks.org.

BROOKLYN COMMUNITY GARDEN TOUR: Learn how four Brooklyn gardens operate on this bus tour. \$15. 10 am–3:30 pm. 61 Franklin Street Garden [61 Franklin St. at Oak Street in Greenpoint], brooklynfood-coalition.org.

READING, LITERARY FESTIVAL: Featuring readings by Writers Foundry faculty members and young writers from the New York Writers Coalition workshops. After-party at Greenlight Bookstore. **Free.** 2 pm. Fort Greene Park [Wilmington Avenue and Washington Park in Fort Greene, (718) 398–2883], nywriterscoalition.org.

REVOLUTIONARY FARE: Mark Brooklyn's historic Revolutionary era with colonial-inspired dishes and drinks, a pie baking contest, and period music. \$15 (\$12 in advance). 5–9 pm. Old Stone House [336 Third St. between Fourth and Fifth avenues in Park Slope, (718) 768–3195], www.brownpapertickets.com/event/437199.

FILM, "IT": With a live score performed by djangOrchestra. \$16. 11:30 am. Nitehawk Cinema [136 Metropolitan Ave. between Berry Street and Wythe Avenue between Berry Street and Wythe Avenue in Williamsburg, (718) 782–8370], www.nitehawkcinema.com/movie/it.

MUSIC, AFROPUNK FESTIVAL: Two days of music, art, food trucks, and skating. Free with RSVP. Noon–9 pm. Commodore Barry Park [Flushing Avenue and Navy Street in Fort Greene], afropunkfest.com.

THEATER, "SANITATION OR OFF THE GRID": An operetta presented by Theater for the New City about three voyaging New York City sanitation workers who have fantastical adventures when their cruise ship breaks down at sea. **Free.** 2 pm. Sunset Park [Sixth Avenue and 44th Street in Sunset Park, (212) 254–1109], www.theaterforthenewcity.net.

THEATER, "OLMSTED IN



Tough act: The AfroPunk festival is full of young talents and the Skins are no exception, taking on classic hard rock with vigor on Aug. 24.

AUTUMN: One-act play by Anne Phelan as part of a Frederick Law Olmsted-inspired installation. **Free.** 7:30 pm, 8:30 pm. Open Source Gallery [306 17th St. near Sixth Avenue in Park Slope, (646) 279–3969], open-source-gallery.org.

MUSIC, UNICYCLE LOVES YOU, AVEDIS, DULL EDGES, TRUMPETER SWAN: \$8. 8 pm. Rock Shop [249 Fourth Ave. between Carroll and President streets in Park Slope, (718) 230–5740], www.therockshopny.com.

MUSIC, MY GAY BANJO, SMALL TALK: \$8. 8:30 pm. Union Hall [702 Union St. at Fifth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 638–4400], www.union-hallny.com.

MUSIC, ZAGITTARIUS & AMANDA, ANDREW O'KEEFFE: **Free.** 9 pm. Freddy's Bar [627 Fifth Ave. between 17th and 18th streets in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768–0131], www.freddysbar.com.

MUSIC, AFRO PUNK AFTER DARK: After party for the Afro Punk Fest, exploring African and Latin American music. **Free.** 10 pm. Brooklyn Tap House [590 Myrtle Ave. at Classon Avenue in Fort Greene, (347) 750–7557], www.brooklynthapouse.com.

URBAN BREW FEST: Craft beer festival featuring more than 50 craft and specialty brewers. \$65. Noon–3 pm, 4–7 pm, 8–11 pm. Littlefield [622 Degraw St. between Fourth and Fifth avenues in Gowanus, (718) 855–3388], www.urbanbrewfest.com.

HISTORY WORKSHOP: Children 5 and older head to the Tech lab and become the conductor. Free with museum admission. 1:30 pm. New York Transit Museum [Boerum Place at Schermerhorn Street in Downtown, (718) 694–1600], www.mta.info/mta/museum.

READING, SPELLING BEE: Bring your love of nerdery and your language skills. Sign up in advance for either the Harry Potter or Game of Thrones preliminary round, or just come and watch. **Free.** 5 pm. Word Bookstore [126 Franklin St. between Milton and Noble streets in Greenpoint, (718) 383–0096], www.wordbrooklyn.com.

FILM, "THE MOTIVATION": As part of The Art of Brooklyn Film Festival. \$10. 7:30 pm. St. Francis College [180 Remsen St. between Court and

Clinton streets in Brooklyn Heights, (718) 489–5200], www.aobff.org.

SUN, AUG. 25

BATTLE OF BROOKLYN COMMEMORATION: Mark the anniversary of the Revolutionary War battle with a day of drills, weapons firing, games, and historic reenactments. **Free.** 11 am–5 pm. Green-Wood Cemetery [Fifth Avenue and 25th Street in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768–7300], theoldstonehouse.org.

MUSIC, ARCTA, E.R.S., BREAK-POINT METHOD: **Free.** 9 pm. Freddy's Bar [627 Fifth Ave. between 17th and 18th streets in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768–0131], www.freddysbar.com.

KINGS COUNTY FERMENTATION GROUP MEETING: Explore new and traditional methods of food preservation. **Free.** 7 pm. Freddy's Bar [627 Fifth Ave. between 17th and 18th streets in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768–0131], www.freddysbar.com.

MON, AUG. 26

MUSIC, SWINGIN' UTTERS: \$12 (\$10 in advance). 8:30 pm. Bell House [149 Seventh St. at Third Avenue in Gowanus, (718) 643–6510], www.thebellhouseny.com.

RED WINE AROMAS WORKSHOP: Learn to identify several common aromas found in red wines. \$35. 8:30 pm. Brooklyn Winery [213 N. Eighth St. between Roebling Street and Driggs Avenue in Williamsburg, (347) 763–1506], bkwinery.com/event/basics-of-wine-red-wine-aromas-workshop/3204.

DIVE COMEDY: **Free.** 9 pm. Freddy's Bar [627 Fifth Ave. between 17th and 18th streets in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768–0131], www.freddysbar.com.

TUES, AUG. 27

SIDEWALK SALE: New and used items. **Free.** 10 am–4 pm. Guardian Angel Church [Ocean Parkway and Oceanview Avenue in Sheepshead Bay, (718) 907–3478].

FILM, "LITTLE FUGITIVE": As part of Coney Island Flicks on the Beach. **Free.** 7:30 pm. Coney Island beach [1001 Boardwalk W. at W. 10th Street in Coney Island], [traction/Coney-Island-Flicks-on-the-Beach.htm.](http://www.coneyislandfunguide.com/At-</p></div><div data-bbox=)

MUSIC, DAVID GALVEZ: The classical acoustic guitarist performs in the garden. **Free.** 7:30 PM. St. Francis Xavier Church [225 Sixth Ave. between Carroll and President streets; Park Slope in Park Slope, (718) 638–1880], www.stfxbrooklyn.org.

MUSIC, PRAY FOR SOUND, TORPID MAY, TO SAIL BEYOND THE SUN: \$8–\$10. 7:30 pm. Rock Shop [249 Fourth Ave. between Carroll and President streets in Park Slope, (718) 230–5740], www.therockshopny.com.

MUSIC, THE STAN NISHIMURA TRIO, MICHAEL FOSTER, LEILA BORDREULL: **Free.** 8 pm. Freddy's Bar [627 Fifth Ave. between 17th and 18th streets in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768–0131], www.freddysbar.com.

WED, AUG. 28

SPORTS, BARK IN THE PARK: Bring your dog to the game as the Cyclones take on the Tri-City Valley Cats. Before the first pitch at 7 pm, there will be a pet adoption and emergency preparedness clinic and a parade of the pooches around the ball field. \$10 (one person and up to two dogs). 4 pm. MCU Park [1904 Surf Ave. at W. 17th St. in Coney Island, (718) 449–8497], www.animalalliance-cenyc.org.

CRAB BOIL: Enjoy blue crab, corn, potatoes, and sausage served with Old Bay seasoning and melted butter. \$28 for six pieces, \$54 for 12 pieces. 5 pm. Pork Slope [247 Fifth Ave. between Carroll Street and Garfield Place in Park Slope, (718) 768–7675], www.porkslopebrooklyn.com.

FILM, MICHAEL PAUL: The producer of "Shankman's" talks about the steps and challenges in making the feature film. \$2. 6:30–9 pm. Damas Falafel House [407 Myrtle Ave. at Vanderbilt Avenue in Fort Greene, (718) 852–6677], www.damasfalafelhouse.com.

READING, FRANCESCO MARCIULIANO: Author of "I Could Chew on This: And Other Poems by Dogs." RSVP requested, and dogs invited. **Free.** 7–9 pm. PowerHouse Arena [37 Main St. at Water Street in DUMBO, (718) 666–3049], www.powerhousearena.com.

MUSIC, JOHN DUNLAP, NAFSI GROOVE: **Free.** 8 pm. Freddy's Bar [627 Fifth Ave. between 17th and 18th streets in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768–0131], www.freddysbar.com.

MUSIC, MARY ALOUETTE: With Pure Bathing Culture and Leaping. \$10. 8:30 pm. Glasslands [289 Kent Ave. at S. Second Street in Williamsburg], www.glasslands.com.

THURS, AUG. 29

PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP: Study basic to advanced photography. For seniors. **Free.** 11 am. Carmine Carro Community Center [3000 Fillmore Ave. at Marine Parkway in Marine Park, (718) 869–0100].

READING, MK ASANTE: Author of "Buck: A Memoir." **Free.**

9 pm. PowerHouse Arena [37 Main St. at Water Street in DUMBO, (718) 666–3049], www.powerhousearena.com.

READING, DOLAN MORGAN: Author of "Google Place Reviews." Also featuring Iris Cushing, Natalie Eilbert, Mike Lala, and Danniell Schonebeek. **Free.** 7 pm. Word Bookstore [126 Franklin St. between Milton and Noble streets in Greenpoint, (718) 383–0096], www.wordbrooklyn.com.

SPORTS, CYCLONES CELEBRATE EBBETS FIELD 100TH ANNIVERSARY: First 3,000 fans get a 1913 Brooklyn jersey as the team takes on the Staten Island Yankees. \$9–\$16. 7 pm. MCU Park [1904 Surf Ave. at W. 17th St. in Coney Island, (718) 449–8497], www.brooklynclones.com.

MUSIC, MATT LONGO, AARON ZIMMER, FANCY COLORS: \$8–\$10. 7:30 pm. Rock Shop [249 Fourth Ave. between Carroll and President streets in Park Slope, (718) 230–5740], www.therockshopny.com.

MUSIC, SEAN WAYLAND: **Free.** 8:30 pm. Freddy's Bar [627 Fifth Ave. between 17th and 18th streets in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768–0131], www.freddysbar.com.

FRI, AUG. 30

"WASABASSCO'S 70S VAN SHOW 2": 1970s-themed burlesque show. \$20. 8 pm. Bell House [149 Seventh St. at Third Avenue in Gowanus, (718) 643–6510], www.thebellhouseny.com.

MUSIC, GUESS & CHECK, FLYING PACE, SALLY, TWO SECONDS TO MIDNIGHT: \$8. 8 pm. Rock Shop [249 Fourth Ave. between Carroll and President streets in Park Slope, (718) 230–5740], www.therockshopny.com.

MUSIC, BROOKLYN WHAT, EVEN TWICE: **Free.** 10 pm. Freddy's Bar [627 Fifth Ave. between 17th and 18th streets in Greenwood Heights, (718) 768–0131], www.freddysbar.com.

"HEAD ON: Blondie vs. Fleetwood Mac": DJs Brian Blackout, Lepaux and Spoolwork battle it out, cage-match-style. **Free.** 10:30 pm. Bell House [149 Seventh St. at Third Avenue in Gowanus, (718) 643–6510], www.thebellhouseny.com.

SAT, AUG. 31

TOUR, ORGANIC BROOKLYN TOUR: See who's makin' it in Gowanus and attend a workshop on the healing power of herbs. \$40. 4 pm. Twig Terrariums [287 Third Ave. at Carroll Street in Gowanus], greenbrooklyn.brownpapertickets.com.

MUSIC, CAPTURED TRACKS FESTIVAL: Featuring artists on the label. \$30 (\$55 for two-day pass). 3 pm. The Well [272 Meserole St. at Waterbury Street in Bushwick, (347) 338–3612], www.thewellbrooklyn.com.

Lobster the way it's suppose to taste at Jordan's

BY CAMILLE SPERRAZZA

The lobster roll at Jordan's Lobster Dock has clawed its way to the top of the heap.

"We've got the best lobster roll in New York. The New York Daily News said so," says Bill Jordan, who runs the wholesale store and restaurant with his brothers.

The lobster roll — "A quarter pound of pure lobster meat served on a toasted hot dog bun" — is one of the signature items on the restaurant's menu.

"We don't add celery or other fillers that you'll find at other places. It's pure 100-percent lobster," says Jordan.

He doesn't even add mayo. Tartar sauce, mayonnaise, and lettuce are served on the side, allowing the natural flavors of the lobster to speak for itself.

One of the reasons it is so exceptional is that, "We don't cut corners," says Jordan. "We never compromise when it comes to quality."

It starts with getting the right product.

"We are strictly buyers of USA products," he says. "Our lobster is from Maine. Our calamari is domestic."

Experience is another factor.

"We were the first to introduce the lobster roll to New York," he says. His father started the establishment in 1938, now in its 75th year — standing strong through tough economies and bouncing back from the beating Hurricane Sandy threw its way last fall. The restaurant was closed for about six weeks, renovations were made, and Jordan credits Borough President Markowitz with helping

Jordan's through-out the ordeal. Like a hardened sailor, Jordan's Lobster Dock took on the sea, and declared victory.

Providing value to customers is another reason for its success.

"We buy lobster by the ton," says Jordan. This means they get the best pricing, and pass these savings on to the consumer.

"We are a no frills place," he says. There are no waiters to take your order. "We cook, and focus on quality. You pick it up, sit down, and enjoy it."

He says this is good for families because they don't have to leave another 15 to 20 percent for a tip.



Aaron Collon of Brighton Beach digs into his seafood platter.
Photos by Steve Solomonson

can pick up live lobsters and cook them at home yourself. Or, you can call ahead, and Jordan's will steam them for you, so you can take them home, ready to serve.

The restaurant serves a variety of treasures from the sea: shrimp, mussels, clams, oysters, soft-shell crabs, crab legs, fish cakes, swordfish, salmon, tuna steak, and calamari, among them. Seafood platters are served with corn on the cob or French fries and cole slaw.

Chicken, burgers, pasta, hot dogs, and steak are also on the menu, as are mozzarella sticks, zucchini sticks, onion rings,

and sweet potato fries. You can also get a nice bowl of clam chowder or a cup of hot lobster bisque.

Enjoy it all with a cold beer or a glass of wine. For dessert, there's cheesecake, chocolate cake, and key lime pie.

Eating lobster is good for you.

"A lobster is lower in fat, calories, and cholesterol than white meat chicken and turkey," Jordan says.

Jordan's Lobster Dock [3165 Harkness Ave., corner of Knapp Street in Sheepshead Bay, (800) 404-CLAW, www.JordansLobster.com] Open seven days a week, 9 am-10 pm, and on Fridays and Saturdays until 11 pm. *There's a Jordan's Lobster Farm in Long Beach:* [1 Pettit Place in Island Park, (516) 889-3314, www.Jordanlobsterfarms.com]. Open seven days a week, 9 am-10 pm.

A delicious place to dine and unwind
Unique Waterfront Dining

- Authentic Italian Cuisine Inspired By The Sea
- Upscale, Casual Atmosphere On The Bay
- Wood-Fired, Brick Oven Specialties

\$26.95 three course dinner prix fixe
\$13.95 lunch prix fixe (Mon.-Fri.)
All Day, Every Day

2902 Emmons Avenue
Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn
(Just Off The Belt Parkway)
718.332.8494
www.ilFornoRestaurant.com
On-Premises Parking

Private Party Room Available

2003 Emmons Ave.
718.332.6064

Freshest Fish in Sheepshead Bay

THE FINEST IN GREEK CUISINE IN AN ELEGANT SETTING

FITTED BICYCLES

These handmade rides are built for every size

By Natalie Musumeci
Getting a new bike is a lot like getting a new suit. Handmade bicycle builders in Brooklyn say that before constructing a two-wheeler for a customer they take full body measurements of the person to make sure that the bicycle is a perfect fit for the rider's body.

"It's fully custom so the smallest detail is specific to that person," said frame builder Benjamin Peck of Fort Greene's Benjamin's Cycles, adding that a factory-made bicycle cannot accommodate riders who might have longer legs and shorter torsos or the other way around. "A custom built bike can accommodate them."

Peck's hand-built bicycles, which are all engraved with his signature, start at frames for \$900 and the prices only go up from there when choosing the wheels and bike components like the handlebars, seating, and other customized add-ons.

"There's a high attention to detail. The bike isn't worked on in an assembly line through five different people — it's worked on by one person and that one person builds it from start to fin-



Bike master: Benjamin Peck of Fort Greene's Benjamin's Cycles says that his customized, hand-built bicycles cater to the city commuter.

Photo by Stefano Giovannini

ish," said Peck, who specializes in all-steel custom bikes that cater to the city commuter.

Peck recently teamed up with David Perry, owner of Manhattan's Bike Works NYC and a former US National team cyclist, and Harry Schwartzman, founder of the Brooklyn Bike Jumble, to create the upcoming inaugural Bike Cult Show — a two-wheeled version of an auto show that will only feature handmade rides.

Nearly 20 independent bike-smiths who hand-build one-of-a-kind bicycles will converge at the Warsaw in Greenpoint at the end of the month for the two-day festival on Aug. 30 and Aug. 31 that will spotlight the intricate two-wheeled creations from masterful bike crafters across the northeast.

Bike craftsman Thomas Callahan of Williamsburg's Horse Cycles, whose two-wheelers will also be featured in the show, said

that he specializes vintage-looking bicycles made with classic materials and high performance bicycles using newer materials like carbon fiber.

Callahan said that in order to create the two distinct looks he uses different methods of bike frame welding — tungsten inert gas welding for the high performance bike and gas welding for the classic-looking bike.

Callahan's two-wheeled hand-built bikes start at \$1,800 for a frame and fork.

Other Brooklyn-based bike craftsman who will be showing off their creations at the bike show include Johnny Coast of Coast Cycles, Seth Rosko of Rosko Cycles, Lance Mercado of Squarebuilt, and Jack Wolf of Ceremony Bikes.

Peck said that festival attendees will get to feast their eyes on "the most beautiful handcrafted bikes in America that are all custom-crafted down to the best you can get."

Bike Cult Show at Warsaw (261 Driggs Ave. between Eckford and Leonard streets in Greenpoint, bikecultshow.com). Aug. 30, noon–9 pm, Aug. 31, 10 am–4 pm, \$10 per day, \$15 two-day entry, free for kids under 14.

Domino show

Outdoor films with an industrial view

By Will Bredderman
What better way to cap off the summer than with an outdoor display of everything Williamsburg is famous for: local bands, local cinema, and local food from local vendors — all in the nabe's newest local park.

For three Tuesday nights in August and September, comes a music, movie, and food extravaganza in Havemeyer Park — the temporary community art, bike, yoga, and veggie space at the Domino Sugar factory development site.

Organizers Nitehawk Cinema said they have been pushing for weeks to get into the park and bring its indie stylings to a bigger audience.

"We wanted to do what we normally do at our cinema, but on a larger scale outdoors," said cinema owner Matthew Viragh.

Each night — Aug. 20, Sept. 10, and Sept. 17 — will have a theme, with a matching band and movie playing on the park's performance platform. The Aug. 20 event

featured Brooklyn's premiere Dolly Parton cover band Doll Parts, and the Queen of Country Music's famed film "Best Little Whorehouse in Texas." On Sept. 10, Michael Arenella and the Dreamland Orchestra — a Brooklyn-based throwback swing band — will perform before surrendering the stage to the 2002 Jazz Age musical "Chicago." And on Sept. 17, filmscoring septet Morricone Youth will play a set of '60s spy songs before a screening of the James Bond classic "Goldfinger."

And, of course, Viragh said there will be plenty of food, made right here in the hippest borough in the world. Nitehawk will be serving up plenty of its popcorn, while brunch hotspot Brooklyn Star will be on hand with its beloved chicken and waffles. Oddfellows Ice Cream will be scooping out its eclectic, small-batch ice cream flavors, and Brooklyn Brewery will be quenching everyone's alcoholism with its lager.

Viragh said the Havemeyer Park space — with its lush lawn and stunning views of the old sugar refinery and the Williamsburg



Sugary sight: Outdoorsy cinema lovers gathered at Williamsburg's Havemeyer Park to enjoy the first of three film-and-music events.

Photo by Elizabeth Graham

Bridge — and the unique group of caterers, will give the shows a distinct flavor from the Summer Film Series in much-larger Brooklyn Bridge Park.

"It's going to be more intimate, curated experience," said Viragh. "You can just throw down a blanket and just be sitting on this pristine grass lawn."

Michael Arenella and the Dreamland Orchestra and "Chicago" at Havemeyer Park (329 Kent Ave. between S. Third and S. Fourth streets in Williamsburg, nitehawk-outdoors-chicago.eventbrite.com). Sept. 10, 6 pm, free, rsvp.

Morricone Youth and "Goldfinger" at Havemeyer Park (329 Kent Ave., between S. Third and S. Fourth streets in Williamsburg, nitehawkoutdoors-goldfinger.eventbrite.com). Sept. 10, 6 pm, free, rsvp.



The best reads — handpicked by local bookstore employees

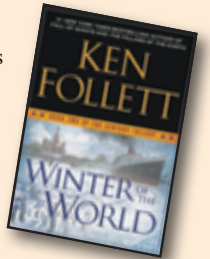
WORD's pick: "Love Dishonor, Marry, Die, Cherish, Perish"
by David Rakoff



Against my expectations, I adored this book. I am highly allergic to hype, and this book couldn't really have more. It's Rakoff's first and only novel, published posthumously, and it's in verse, and it's got the full Chip Kidd treatment, plus illustrations by Seth. There's a lot going on there — but it was lovely. The rhyme scheme is very Seussian, which seems weird at first but then turns out to be a lot of fun even during the sad parts (and there are a lot of sad parts), and Rakoff's wit has a lot of bite to it.

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

The BookMark Shoppe's pick: "Winter of the World"
by Ken Follett

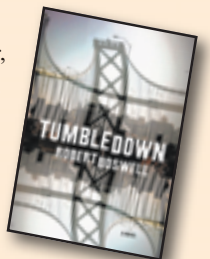


Book Two of Ken Follett's Century Trilogy is finally releasing in paperback. "Winter of the World" picks up right where Book 1 ended, with saga, intrigue, and deception, featuring five families from different parts of the world including America, Russia, England, and Germany.

The story revolves around great historical moments beginning with World War II and through the Cold War. Follett is a truly gifted story teller, weaving history and fiction seamlessly. This historical epic is a great read, and fans should also go back to "Pillars of the Earth."

— 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: "Tumbledown"
by Robert Boswell



Funny, sad, and slightly off-kilter, Robert Boswell's "Tumbledown" is brilliant. A story about a man's life coming undone, the book brings together many different characters, all fumbling about to make sense of the chaos. Perfect for fans of "Silver Linings Playbook" and "The Squid and the Whale."

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

FINAL WEEKS! ONLY THRU
SEPT 1
Save Over 40% on Tickets - use code: ALSNP64



"EXCELLENT!" *NY Times*

MY NAME IS
**ASHER
LEV**

"EVERYONE SHOULD SEE IT!"

New York Magazine

BroadwayOffers.com (212) 947-8844

Westside Theatre 407 West 43rd Street • Groups (10+): (800) 432-7780

ASHERLEVTHEPLAY.COM

Offer expires 09/01/13. Valid for performances through 09/01/13. \$49 tickets valid for Tuesday-Friday performances (reg. \$85), and \$59 tickets for Saturday & Sundays (reg. \$85). Black out dates may apply. Schedule and cast subject to change. Offer subject to availability. Normal service charges apply to online and phone orders. No exchanges or refunds. All sales are final. Cannot be combined with other offers. Not valid for prior purchases. Limit of 10 tickets per order. Offer may be revoked at any time.

WIN A PAIR OF TICKETS

to see Tony Award Winner

**FAITH
PRINCE**

**Saturday,
September 28, 2013
at 8 pm**

Winners will be selected at random and
notified via email on September 9, 2013



For a chance to win email the answer to:
onstageatkingsborough@kbcc.cuny.edu by September 6, 2013 at midnight

Contest Question: What is the name of the Broadway show
that Faith Prince is currently appearing in?

Hint: Find the answer in the On Stage at Kingsborough 2013/2014 season brochure
or on the website www.OnStageAtKingsborough.org

**ON STAGE AT
KINGSBOROUGH**

2001 Oriental Boulevard,
Brooklyn, NY 11235

Box Office: (718) 368-5596

www.OnStageAtKingsborough.org

"ENCHANTING"
- NY TIMES

Gazillion

Bubble Show
THE NEXT GENERATION

Sat at 11, 2 & 4:30, Sun at 12 & 3

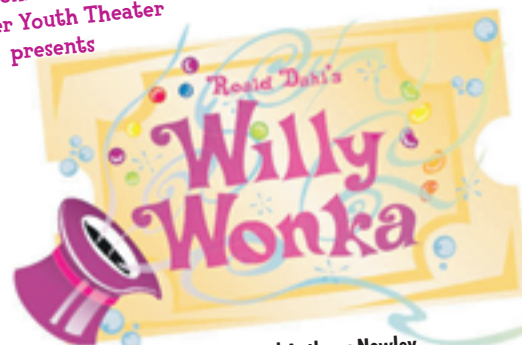
For groups & birthday parties visit our website or call **1-866-642-9849**

GazillionBubbleShow.com

TELECHARGE.COM or 212.239.6200

NEW WORLD STAGES NY 340 WEST 50th ST.

Narrows Community Theater's
Summer Youth Theater
presents



Music and Lyrics by Leslie Bricusse and Anthony Newley
Adapted for the Stage by
LESLIE BRICUSSE and TIMOTHY ALLEN McDONALD
Based on the Book
"CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY" by ROALD DAHL

Director: Susan Huizinga

Music Director: Balint Varga

Choreographer: Adriane Musacchio

Fridays & Saturdays, August 16, 17, 23, 24 @ 8pm

Sundays, August 18, 25 @ 2pm

Fort Hamilton Army Base Theater

101st Street & Fort Hamilton Parkway (ID Required)

\$20 Adults | \$15 Seniors & Students | \$10 Children 12 & under

For Tickets email: NCT@NCTheaterNY.com

Call the NCT Hotline 718-482-3173

or visit our website: www.NCTheaterNY.com

Roald Dahl's Willy Wonka is presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI).
All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI, 421 West 54th St., NY, NY 10019
Tel 212-541-4684 | Fax 212-397-4684 | www.MTIShows.com

THE ARTISTS ARE PRESENT

A night of performance art takes over the museum

By Jaime Lutz

At night, the museum comes alive. For one evening, performers are going to fill the Brooklyn Museum with all manners of theater, sound, and dance in what is a recent trend of fine-art establishments embracing live works in their usually quiet halls.

"I think there's a hunger both on the institution side and the public side for experiential events, as opposed to just observing art," said Stephen Shelley, who is organizing the event as a part of the Beat Festival, which is a week-long series of performance art in Brooklyn.

"People want experiences."

Much like Jay-Z turning the Pace Gallery into a bizarre concert space or Tilda Swinton taking a nap at the Museum of Modern Art, various artists who specialize in experimental theater and art installations will attempt to change visitors's expectations of a trip to the museum.

"We're playing off the idea of a museum tour," said Liza Wade Green, one of the members of a theater group called the Institute for Psychogeographic Adventure.

"We'll be in every nook and cranny of the museum."

And if that seems scary and unpredictable, a ticket-holder can also use the map



Art party: The Brooklyn Museum has hosted many evening events, and this upcoming night of performance art is bound to be a unique experience for visitors.

Photo by Stefano Giovannini

provided, highlighting performance locations.

The night is a way to kick off the Beat Festival and highlight all the featured artists, some of whom are coming back to the Museum during the week while others are exploring other stages outside a traditional

theater, such as the lobby of 1 Metrotech Center, home of this newspaper.

Beat Festival Opening Night at Brooklyn Museum [200 Eastern Pkwy. near Washington Avenue in Crown Heights, (718) 638-5000, www.brooklynmuseum.org]. Sept. 12, 7 pm, free.

Morphing, holographic bodies

A new show combines video and dance to stunning effect



Shine on: A new performance piece called "Becoming Corpus" combines movement with an ever-changing stage made of projected video.

Photos by Harry Hanson



By Samantha Lim
These dancers are light on their feet. "Becoming-Corpus" is a combination of video and movement coming to the Brooklyn Academy of Music, where performers must react to images projected all over the stage, blanketing the people — seemingly challenging them to adjust to the light patterns.

"The optical effects produce a space that can be static or kinetic," said choreographer Ximena Garnica. "One usually dances in a still setting, but when the space moves, your rhythm too, has to change or

you'll topple." During the rehearsals, conducted in a Williamsburg studio dubbed "Cave," one can hear Garnica shout, "Interact with the space and each other," as dancers morph fluidly like latex figures. With under a month until the premier of the show, the practice sessions are conducted with absolute diligence. The production is the work of a partnership between two different disciplines. The Columbian-born Garnica's choreography is joined by Japanese-born Shige Moriya video programming. "I use video as a lighting

source," said Moriya. "Most of the abstract images are derived from nature trips such as during camping." The two artistic directors of the show form Leimay, an arts organization that not only produce their works but run diverse programs year-round. Their bulletin includes artist residencies, training programs, an online network, and summer festivals. Moriya and Garnica track the arts organization's beginnings to sometime in 1996. Most of their work explores the interconnectivity of dance, sound, video, and visual art.

Along with the show, visual art by Garnica and Moriya will be exhibited at the performance space. The artworks act as historical documentation of earlier and discarded creative processes leading to the "Becoming-Corpus," which marks Leimay's first time performing at the Brooklyn Academy of Music. "Becoming-Corpus" at BAM Fisher Fishman Space [321 Ashland Pl. between Lafayette Avenue and Hanson Place in Fort Greene, (718) 636-4100, www.bam.org]. Sept. 12-14, 8 pm, Sept. 15, 6 pm, tickets start at \$20.



Green plan: This rendering visualizes the concept behind Open Source gallery's new park-themed exhibit.

Courtesy Elizabeth Spavento

Gallery becomes park

for new exhibition

By Meredith Deliso

This exhibition gives new meaning to the phrase "outsider art."

A South Slope gallery will turn into a public park for the next month in an ode to the late landscape designer Frederick Law Olmsted, the man behind such green landmarks as Prospect Park and Central Park.

Starting Aug. 24, Open Source Gallery will host picnics, theatrical and musical performances, and a film series inspired by the man as part of the exhibition "We Know Now Exactly Where or How."

The poetic title comes from Olmsted himself, who, after visiting England's Isle of Wight in 1850, remarked, "Gradually and silently the charm comes over us; we know not exactly where or how."

Curator Elizabeth Spavento was inspired to create a space that explores that charm, and other ineffable qualities of parks, in an exhibition that relies on community participation.

"I think Olmsted saw parks as being a really integral part of the self — not just individual but civic identity," said Spavento. "I'm really trying to make the community the center of the experience."

To that end, Spavento is taking an interdisciplinary approach, bringing together music, theater, and art throughout the exhibition's run.

Some of the free public events scheduled include public picnics in partnership with the Greenwood Heights CSA; a mural by Molly Dilworth painted on the gallery doors; a live performance by the music group Exact Change Project; film screenings; a performance by artists Athena Kokoronis and Jan Mun that explores birds, trees, plants, and fungi; a bike workshop hosted by Sustainable Flatbush; and, kicking things off on Saturday, a performance of "Olmsted in Autumn," a new play by Anne Phelan based on the life and work of the landscape architect.

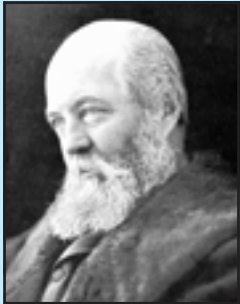
"My tendency whenever I curate is to approach one topic from as many different perspectives as possible," said Spavento.

"There's something for everybody."

And, of course, the gallery itself will be a piece of work, as the former two-car garage will be outfitted with trees and planters, providing shade and places to sit or read, just like you would normally find in a park.

"Imagine a pocket park that's inside instead of outside," said Spavento. "I don't want to reveal too much, I want people to come down and experience it."

"We Know Not Exactly Where or How" at Open Source Gallery (306 17th St. near Sixth Avenue, open-source-gallery.org). Aug. 24-Oct. 5. Free.



Father tree: Frederick Law Olmsted is the man behind Central Park, Prospect Park, and is the inspiration for a new gallery exhibition.

WHERE TO GO ■ WHAT TO DO
24 SEVEN
ARTS ■ DINING ■ MOVIES ■ ENTERTAINMENT

BIG TIPPER

Clueless film detective gives advice



Detection lessons

By Danielle Furfaro

The mind of Dick Doblin is a strange place.

The private eye from Pittsburgh dispenses words of wisdom and puts on a serious face, but take a closer look at his so-called advice and you might glean a guy who's like most noir detectives. He's seen more than he can handle.

Here are some of his tips for living in Brooklyn, both for aspiring detectives as well as the rest of us, courtesy of Doblin himself:

1. Look both ways before crossing Dick Doblin.
2. Never trust the G Train. She'll stab you in the back.
3. Most crimes occur in the home, so never go home.
4. Even you, Joe Citizen, can help the NYPD. Next time you see a boy in blue, give him a big hug and say, "This is from Dick."
5. You never know if food in Brooklyn will be "vegan" so bring some bacon bits just in case.
6. Is it illegal to smell bad on the subway? No, but it should be.
7. A good private eye never reveals his clients unless that client is Spike Lee and he still owes you money.
8. Being a private eye isn't all meeting women next to steamy sewer grates on dark nights. But sometimes it is — and sometimes that woman is names Lucille Marlow and she'll break your heart because she doesn't know what's good for... I'm sorry, what was your question?
9. If Dick Doblin was mayor, you know what would be illegal? Plaid shirts and quinoa.
10. If you don't have any money or fancy equipment, make a web series about characters that also don't.

Take one: Ross Brunetti, Lucas Whitehead, and Tyler G. Hall are the brains behind the bumbling Dick Doblin.

Photo by Stefano Giovannini



By Danielle Furfaro

He might have been a successful private eye in Pittsburgh, but Brooklyn is a whole other beast.

A comedy web series presents the character of Dick Doblin, a detective with a shady past, and an even murkier grasp of reality. The mustachioed investigator possesses the swagger and over-confidence of a 1930s noir detective, but he struggles to talk to cute girls and obnoxious neighbors as he tries to crack the case of his stolen camera — which he calls a picture machine.

And if the hipster detective shtick has gotten old for viewers already familiar with the HBO series "Bored to Death," then the creators of the Doblin series promise they're doing something entirely different, with their cinematic

inspiration coming from "source material" films such as "The Blair Witch Project," and "Cloverfield."

"I never saw it done successfully in a comedy way, so we wanted to see if we could do it," said Ross Brunetti, one of the creators of the show.

Also, there were more practical concerns for making it a single-camera style shoot, like money.

"If you make it in a low-budget style, then you can make something low-budget without it looking low-budget," said Hall.

"It's never going to look like a network show."

For the protagonist of the show, the transition from the Steel City to New York City has apparently been rough. The first episode reveals he left his former city due to romantic and legal

complications. But still, the delusional detective dishes out pro-tips on how to be a private eye — such as "acting natural," and "finding your man."

Producers Tyler G. Hall and Brunetti met when they both worked at Nitehawk, the dine-in cinema on Metropolitan Avenue. They became fast friends and started taking improv classes at Upright Citizens Brigade in Manhattan. They came up with the idea for the series when they put their friend Lucas Whitehead, who plays the eponymous character, in a trench coat and realized that he looked perfect for the part.

"Dick Doblin: Private Eye" screening with opening act comedian Nore Davis at Nighthawk Cinema [136 Metropolitan Ave., between Berry Street and Wythe Avenue, (718) 384-3980, www.nitehawkcinema.com]. Aug. 25, 8:30 pm, free.

The Center for Allergy, Asthma & Immunology

GADI AVSHALOMOV, M.D.

Diplomate of the American Board of Allergy and Immunology

Do allergy symptoms keep you from doing what you want to do?

Do You Suffer From

Asthma:

A disorder affecting the airways of the lungs. People with asthma have Allergic airways that cause Wheezing and cough in response to certain "triggers", leading to difficulty in breathing. The airway narrowing is caused by inflammation and swelling of the airway lining, the tightening of the airway muscles, and the production of excess mucus. This results in a reduced airflow in and out of the lungs. You may be waking up at night coughing or wheezing after exertion. Why suffer; today's treatments may permit you to breath and live much better.



Allergies:

An allergy is an overreaction of your body's immune system to substances that usually cause no reaction in most individuals. Reactions can be hives, congestion, sneezing, coughing, sore throat, headache, and itchy runny eyes and nose. Allergy symptoms are triggered by pollen, molds, dust mites, cockroach and animal dander. For people allergic to these common substances, symptoms can be quite bothersome. And treatment can result in dramatic improvement.

Specializing In Identification & Treatment Of

Hay Fever & Seasonal Allergies • Pet & Food Allergies
Sinus Conditions & Asthma • Environmental Allergies
Mold Spores & Dust Mites

2084 E. 67th Street • Brooklyn, NY
718-444-8014

Jackie's

Continued from cover

The bar will leave behind a dedicated clientele who come for the cheap prices — a bucket of a half dozen seven-ounce "pony" beers will run you \$10 — and the odd hours. Jackie's has long opened at 8 am, making it a destination for morning barflies getting off of work on the night shift.

"The shift workers are not happy," said longtime bartender Linda, who declined to give her last name.

Jackie's beer-and-a-shot vibe has come to feel out of place in Park Slope as the neighborhood has become a mecca for mixology and puppy pedicures, so much so that the dive bar petitioned in 2011 to secede and become its own neighborhood.

The Slope saloon is named for Costello's late wife, Jackie, who suffered a fatal heart attack in 2005. The couple took over the bar from her parents in the 1970s when it was called Tyson's, renaming it Jackie's 5th Amendment because



CHEERS: (Above) Emily Nester Nelson and Colm Bates were crying into their beers after learning that their beloved Jackie's 5th Amendment bar (right) is closing.

Photo by Stefano Giovannini

what happens at Jackie's stays at Jackie's.

Bereaved Jackie's barflies may have to go elsewhere for grandpa's cough medicine, but the doctor kind will still be close at hand. Slope Drugs & Surgical Supply, the next-door pharmacy, will be expanding into the pub space,



which is said to have been operating as a bar since the end of Prohibition.

Calls to the pharmacy's owner were not returned by press time.

UNLIMITED DANCE CLASSES! \$50 PER WEEK

Tiny Toes - Tap - Jazz - Ballet - Hip Hop - Acrobatics - Competition Classes
Boys Breakdancing - Technique - Kid's Yoga - Karate - And More...

Summer Program - Birthday Parties - Wedding Lessons

Ask about our FREE after school pickup program!



www.jetedance.com

Jeté Dance Center 274 3rd Avenue (at President Street)

718-222-JETE (5383)

WHAT TO DO 24 SEVEN

ARTS ■ DINING ■ MOVIES ■ ENTERTAINMENT



Brooklyn's Premier Entertainment Guide

ATTENTION BROOKLYNITES!

There's a new source for news in your neighborhoods:

BROOKLYN DAILY.com

Courier Life Publications — the most powerful name in news from Canarsie to Greenpoint — is proud to launch its new website, BrooklynDaily.com, featuring fresh news, arts and features from all the neighborhoods that matter to you.

Click on BrooklynDaily.com every day for coverage of Brooklyn that is faster, better and deeper than any other online publication. Every day, you'll get all the top-notch coverage you've come to expect from the Bay News, Brooklyn Graphic, Kings Courier, Mill-Marine Courier, Bay Ridge Courier and Brooklyn Courier — and more!



BrooklynDaily.com — your one-stop shopping for Brooklyn news.

ONLINE NOW!

A primer on education for the next mayor

New York City's education system, like the rest of America's, has been hijacked by politicians who are eager to tout their success at making much-needed gains.

But since the political class is a transient one, as elected leaders come and go — except in Albany — due to term limits, we are constantly seeing new programs that are continuously depleting our ability to make progress and prepare all kinds of learners to become “educated citizens.”

Remember “No Child Left Behind?” That was the George W. Bush administration's catchy title for re-vamping public education in America. That lasted about eight years, and was then replaced by “Race to the Top,” another peppy slogan invented by the Obama-land educrats. How did that work? Well, it got a number of states to commit



MAYORAL SPIN CYCLE

Tom Allon

to important reforms that got them a pot of federal money.

But has it made our overall education system better? Are our children better

off today in the classroom than they were four years ago? Twelve years ago?

Thirty years ago?

No, no, and no.

And now comes along another slickly named new idea: the “Common Core Curriculum.” I'm not sure more than 10 people in New York can give you a comprehensive explanation of what “Common Core” means, but it is now the talk of the town and has emerged as the new hot topic in the mayoral race.

In a nutshell, “Common Core” means that we are now shifting the way we assess student progress, with a greater emphasis on critical thinking, higher reasoning, and strong writing skills. These are, obviously, all worthy goals, and who could argue that this is a long-overdue reform in an ossified education system.

But the educrats who designed this system botched so many things, I don't

know where to start.

First, here's an anecdote that sums up part of the problem. Last Spring, my very intelligent 13-year-old daughter came home and told me she took this very hard statewide test. “Daddy, I had to skip eight questions. We didn't even learn that stuff. Why would they test that?” This, from a student, who tested well enough to get into New York's most prestigious public high schools.

It was one of those rare moments as a parent when words failed me and I couldn't explain to her why she was being tested on material she had never seen before.

So, my question now is: why wasn't Common Core phased in? We've known about it since 2009, so why weren't teachers prepared to teach it much earlier and then our kids wouldn't be set up for a test everyone knew the majority would

fail. Is making children and their parents frightened about lack of “proficiency” a political policy to shock the system?

And what about that large segment of students who may not be well-suited for liberal arts educations or high-end professional careers — shouldn't we be preparing curriculums or tests that play to their relative strengths? Why, in education, do we always fall for the mistaken notion that “one size fits all.”

Tests are not a substitute for great teaching and real learning. They are a blunt tool that measures “progress” and “proficiency,” but we now live in an age where everything must be quantified so we can hold students, parents, and teachers “accountable.”

I think I speak for many parents and a silent majority of concern education citizens when I say that we should slow down, focus

on training great teachers, and make sure that our children learn effective communications and basic computational and reasoning skills.

But let us not lurch from one panacea to another — from “No Child Left Behind” to “Race to the Top” to “Common Core Curriculum,” we are just packaging the latest fad in education reform and losing sight of the fundamentals of teaching and learning.

As one pretty poor student named Albert Einstein once famously said: “Not everything that can be counted, counts. And not everything that counts, can be counted.”

How true.

Tom Allon, president of City & State NY, was a Republican and Liberal Party-backed mayoral candidate in 2013 before he left to return to the private sector. Reach him at tallon@cityandstateny.com.

ODDS OF A CHILD BECOMING THE NEXT TOMMY HILFINGER: 1 IN 23 MILLION

ODDS OF A CHILD BEING DIAGNOSED WITH AUTISM: 1 IN 88



Learn more at
autismspeaks.org/signs

Some signs to look for:

No big smiles or other joyful expressions by 6 months

No babbling by 12 months

No words by 16 months



AUTISM SPEAKS™
It's time to listen.

She's proud of Brooklyn and the Courier

To the editor,

I have been reading the Courier for years, and I wanted to let you know how much I appreciate the wonderful job you and your staff do of reporting the local news.

Your stories are informative and interesting. The dailies are too absorbed with the antics of harebrained celebrities to care much about the residents of the outer boroughs. It's good to know that your paper cares, and that it is still going strong after all these decades.

I also like your new website. It gives me my daily fix of what's going on in my neighborhood.

Keep up the good work, guys. I'm proud to call Brooklyn my home, and the Courier my hometown paper.

Frances Connor Bensonhurst

Rogue pols

To the editor,

Politicians are so dumb that if they weren't politicians, they would probably be unemployed.

Too many of them think they're big shots. It takes no time for them to turn into swindlers. Or were they that way all along? Whatever happened to the oaths of office they take to honor the public trust?

There's a whole rogue's gallery of them. Disgraced, former state senator Carl Kruger pocketed more than a million dollars in bribes before he was caught, tried, and packed off to prison for seven years. Fellow ex-state Sen. Pedro Espada Jr. was sentenced to five years for looting a non-profit to redo his home, get spa treatments, and enjoy lobster dinners on the taxpayers' dime.

State Sens. Eric Adams (D-Crown Heights), Velmanette Montgomery (D-Bedford-Stuyvesant), and John Sampson (D-Canarsie) are all currently being investigated for a variety of alleged con jobs.

The racketeering goes all the way up to Capitol Hill. In 2010, a Texas court convicted former House Majority Leader Tom DeLay for conspiracy and money laundering, and sentenced him to three years in jail.

LET US HEAR FROM YOU

Submit letters to: Vince DiMiceli, Editor, Community Newspaper Group, 1 MetroTech Center North, Brooklyn, NY 11201, or e-mail to editorial@cnglocal.com. Please include your address and telephone number for so we can confirm you sent the letter. We reserve the right to edit all correspondence, which becomes the property of Courier Life Publications. To read more comments, visit www.BrooklynDaily.com.

SOUND OFF TO THE EDITOR

LETTERS AND COMMENTS FROM OUR READERS

The list of political ruffians goes on and on, ad nauseam. Meanwhile, important issues like jobs, education, and rent reform are being ignored because lawmakers are looking to pad their own wallets. They need to wake up!

Power corrupts, and absolute power corrupts absolutely. Aspiring politicians should wise up to the fact that they will also get caught in time, if defrauding the public — instead of serving it — is their aim.

John Woods Flatbush

Porky Christine

To the editor,

Mayoral candidate Council Speaker Christine Quinn has done nothing to stop her murky slush-fund trail, raising questions about her allegiance to special interest groups, if she is elected.

Sadly, she might actually have a shot, given her sorry crop of challengers. Quinn gave hundreds of thousands of taxpayer dollars to the High Line project on the west side of Manhattan. In return, the Friends of the High Line has showered her with more than \$50,000 since 1999. Millennium Partners, a nationwide real estate developer, is another favored snout in Quinn's endless barrel of pork.

To top it all, Quinn is endorsed by Goldman Sachs' fat cat Lloyd Blankfein, whom Forbes named one of "The Most Outrageous CEOs of 2009" for bilking low interest rates and making huge trading profits during the market meltdown of the late 2000s.

Special interest groups have a friend in Christine Quinn. That makes her no friend of the average New Yorker.

Avrohom Richter Williamsburg

Chance encounter

To the editor,

Too often we focus on the negative, but I witnessed something truly inspiring the other day.

I was on the B9 bus, and an elderly woman with a cane and shopping bags got on. Three teen boys were sprawled on the front seats, talking loudly and joshing around. They seemed like the kind of kids who made you wish you had waited for the next bus.

However, as soon as they saw the senior, they sprang up and rushed to make room for her. One of them escorted her to a seat. Another boy gathered up her shopping bags and put them beside her. And

the third teen gave the woman a big smile, and began chatting with her. He asked her how her day was going, and complimented her on her hat. You could tell the woman was loving it.

Then these youngsters wished her a good day and moved to the rear of the bus. They must have kept their eyes on the woman because when she rang the bell to get off, one of them rushed up to help her with her packages.

I was so impressed with the conduct of these teens, that it has made me rethink my attitudes about people in general. From now on, I won't be judging a book by its cover.

Ruth Weingarten Midwood

Corporate change

To the editor,

Not so long ago, our avenues used to be full of thriving mom-and-pop shops, but now banks, drug stores, and telephone companies are pushing them out because their rents are too high.

I can't keep up with the Citibanks, Duane Reades, and Verizons that seem to be cropping up everywhere. The other day, I counted two banks, and three cellphone places on one block on Kings Highway.

When small shops are priced out to make room for big-money stores, the fabric of the neighborhood disintegrates. What's left is a sterile vacuum. Neighborhoods change constantly, but not always for the better.

Natasha Brinsky Flatlands

Stop-and-frisk away

To the editor,

There's a lot of talk that NYPD should abolish stop-and-frisk. How else are cops supposed to act on their suspicions? Or should they just suppress them?

Part of a cop's job is to rely on his or her instincts, and people should be willing to cooperate with law enforcement. I am a young black man, who has been stopped and frisked, but the cops graciously apologized when they saw I was cooperating. I didn't feel embarrassed because I knew they weren't going to find anything on me.

If you have nothing to hide, and you aren't doing anything wrong, then what's the problem?

Leo Warren East New York

Tree-cky logic

To the editor,

Is it just me, or do other people think

there's something wrong with Mayor Bloomberg's goal to plant a million trees by 2017, while trimming the Parks Department's budget?

Where will the manpower come from to maintain this surplus? A million trees need an awful lot of workers to care for them. The city should give Parks extra money for their proper upkeep. Then, it won't have to shell out millions of taxpayer dollars in compensation to the victims of falling tree limbs.

Lynn Wellington Kensington

Eliot-n-Anthony

To the editor,

Eliot Spitzer and Anthony Weiner have got to be kidding. They have no right seeking public office again, after their tawdry sex scandals.

Spitzer, running for comptroller, was gung-ho about prosecuting johns, all the while being one himself. What a hypocrite.

Weiner, a mayoral candidate, is a lying cheat, who habitually texted naked pictures of himself to other women and engaged them in disgusting porno talk. This behavior would be bad enough even if he wasn't married, but the fact that he is only makes it worse.

Both of these skanky hasbeens should just go away. Then stay there.

Saul Weinstein Mill Basin

'Occupy' wusses

To the editor,

The former Occupy Wall Streeters, who have moved to Bushwick, claim to represent the 99 percent against the one percent, but their agenda is 100 percent baloney ("Bushwick's 'Base' hopes to stop gentrification in its tracks," online July 26).

Who can forget the slum they made out of Zuccotti Park a few years back? I read one report that said they made more than \$200,000 in donations. Where did that money go? In drinking and drugging?

Robert DiNiro played a bus driver in the "A Bronx Tale," and he said it best when he told his son, in an attempt to warn him against a gangster the kid admired, "Let him get up every day and work for a living!"

Let's see him try that! We'll see who's really tough. The working man is tough." Got that Occupy Wuss Streeters?

A. Ward Bushwick

Benefit

Continued from page 3

quaintances, but his wife, Melissa Klein, is a manager at DuMont.

"No one saw it coming," said Watterberg. "Everyone is still reeling and everyone is numb."

Watterberg encouraged Williamsburg businesses to donate goods and services for organizers to raffle them off before the show and in between bands. Businesses that contributed include Egg, Nitehawk Cinema and Rosarito Fish Shack.

Volunteers say the benefit shows that Brooklyn is really a tight-knit community in a big city.

"It's nice to know we are a small-town-like community and family of artists and creative minds that bond together through thick and thin," said Jason Maksymilian, guitar player and singer for the American Darlings.



IN HIS WAKE: Friends of late restaurateur Colin Devlin organized a benefit show to help send his kids to college.

Photo by Zandy Mangold

VMAs

Continued from page 4

mer Bethlehem Lutheran Church at 490 Pacific St. between Third Avenue and Nevins Street. There will be a 10 am service in English and a Spanish service at 3 pm.

The red carpet

On Sunday evening, limos filled with A-listers will be a constant, unload-

ing their gussied-up cargo for the 8 pm to 9 pm red carpet pre-show, which will feature performances by teenybopper stars Austin Mahone and Ariana Grande. Several hundred pre-invited guests are expected to fill grandstands that will be set up near the arena, sources familiar with the plans said.

Made in Brooklyn

MTV's iconic "moon man" award was retooled

for this year's show by Brooklyn-based artist Kaws, who got famous doing graffiti but now makes designer toys.

Overtime

Workers will be breaking down and carting off the elaborate sets on Aug. 27 and Aug. 28, according to a Barclays Center spokesman. Also, MTV is responsible for all street cleaning related to the event.

— *Natalie Musumeci*

MR. VACUUM

APPROVED  SINGER &  Miele DEALER

SALES • PARTS • REPAIRS

**HUGE SAVINGS ON
AIR CONDITIONERS
WE WILL BEAT
& MATCH
ANY PRICE**

**We Deliver
& Install**

**FIX ANY VACUUM OR
SEWING MACHINE**



\$14⁹⁵

+ PARTS
+ TAX

**FREE
PICK UP
& DELIVERY**



OFFER EXPIRES 6/6/13

Guaranteed Lowest Prices in Brooklyn!



**On ALL Air Conditioners
& Major Appliances**



8705 5th Ave. • 718-748-5288



AUGUST 25: REO SPEEDWAGON

SEPTEMBER 1: GAVIN DEGRAW

SEPTEMBER 8: KENNY LOGGINS

SEPTEMBER 15: SMOKEY ROBINSON - SOLD OUT

TICKETS FOR ALL SHOWS START AT \$15.
TO PURCHASE TICKETS VISIT
EMPIRECITYCASINO.COM

**EMPIRE CITY[®]
CASINO**



Must be 18 years of age or older to play New York Lottery Games or wager on horses. Please play responsibly. Empire City Casino is not responsible for printing or typographical errors. Must be 21 years of age or older to purchase or consume alcoholic beverages.

I'm Living & Learning in Brooklyn Heights

Tyler - Class of '14
English & Philosophy Double Major
2012 NCAA Men's Water Polo Final Four



ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE
SMALL COLLEGE. BIG DREAMS.

STILL TIME TO ENROLL
FALL SEMESTER: Begins Sept. 4th - APPLY TODAY!

Easily accessible from all major subway lines

2 3 4 5 A C B D F N R

SFC.EDU



Sandy-blasted Sunny's to reopen

Red Hook watering hole shines again Aug. 29

BY NATALIE MUSUMECI

Break out the aged whiskey — Sunny's Bar is back!

The more-than-a-century-old Red Hook watering hole is reopening its doors later this month for the first time since Hurricane Sandy ripped through the waterfront neighborhood nearly 10 months ago. The superstorm clobbered the Conover Street pub with floodwaters that completely wiped out the bar's basement, causing major structural and electrical damage. But now, after a lot of sweat and tears and more than \$100,000 in repairs, legendary barkeep couple Sunny Balzano and Tone Johansen are reopening the saloon on Aug. 29, Balzano's 78th birthday.

"I never considered that we wouldn't get here," Balzano said.

The Sandy-battered bar did not qualify for a disaster assistance loan from the Small Business Administration because it is so old, so it had to rely on the help of hundreds of Sunny's fans to get on the road to recovery, according to Balzano. Supporters pulled through in spades, first contributing \$35,000 in December through a Kickstarter campaign, which paid for a new boiler, floor, gas line, compressors, and electrical



SUNNY'S REVIVED: Red Hook's historic Sunny's Bar, which was completely battered by Hurricane Sandy, is finally reopening just in time for legendary barkeep Sunny Balzano's birthday on Aug. 29.

Photo by Stefano Giovannini

when Sandy hit and narrowly escaped the rushing waters.

Sunny's is among the last Red Hook businesses still closed after Sandy.

Balzano, whose grandfather opened the bar in 1890, said he plans to repaint the facade of the bar black and transform it into a blackboard where patrons can sign their names and create a living memorial to the community's support.

The grand reopening ceremony

will include tunes from the band Xylophone People and Johansen says that she is breathless with anticipation.

"It's like an out-of-body experience — I can't wait," said Johansen, adding that all remains to be done is installing the ice machine and stocking the shelves with liquor.

Sunny's Bar grand reopening [253 Conover St., between Beard and Reed streets in Red Hook, (718) 625-8211, www.sunnysredhook.com]. Aug. 29, 7:30 pm ceremony.

Your Trusted Parenting Magazine!



Get Your Copy Today!

At your local library or other specialized locations throughout Brooklyn.

Check us out at
www.NYParenting.com

For distribution information, please call us at (718) 260-4554

FOR ANIMALS, INC., BROOKLYN BRIDGE ANIMAL WELFARE COALITION & NORTH SHORE ANIMAL LEAGUE AMERICA

ADOPT A PET

NYC Pets

218 5th Ave • Brooklyn, NY
SAT AUG 24 • 12PM – 5PM

TD Bank

211 Montague St • Brooklyn, NY
FRI AUG 30 • 1PM – 6PM



AnimalLeague.org
1.877.4.SAVE.PET

Like us on Facebook
Facebook.com/TheAnimalLeague



G'pointers: Biker death preventable

Residents say recent deadly crash happened on a neighborhood drag strip

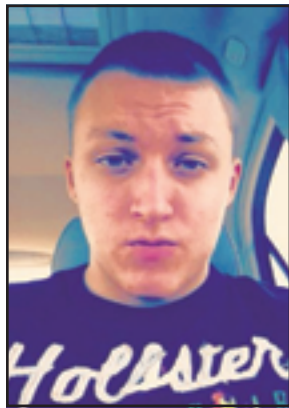
BY DANIELLE FURFARO

A teen died last week in a motorcycle accident and now Greenpoint residents are demanding police halt the speeding and drag racing they say has consumed the north end of the neighborhood for years.

Eighteen-year-old Jakub B. Kizer was killed last Thursday night when the motorcycle he was riding collided with a car at the intersection of Manhattan Avenue and Eagle Street. Kizer's body sustained massive trauma in the crash.

Police have not said whether Kizer, who lived on Nassau Avenue between Monitor and North Henry streets, was racing at the time of his death, but neighbors say the speeding and racing are out of control and police have done little to stop it.

"The motorcycle and car races happen pretty much every weekend," said Laura Hoffman. "They come rac-



MISSED: (Left) Jakub Kizer died when the motorcycle he was driving plowed into a car on Manhattan Avenue and Eagle Street. (Right) A shrine marks the Greenpoint corner where he died, a block neighbors say has been home to drag racing for years.



Photo by Stefano Giovanni

ing right down Manhattan Avenue."

Hoffman said she got so fed up that she went to a police precinct meeting six months ago to talk about the issue. At that time, she says officers promised her they would keep a watch on the area, but she claims nothing has changed, and that the problem has gotten

worse this summer.

Other residents agree, saying that speeding is not limited to Manhattan Avenue, and claiming that the speeders are a danger to themselves and pedestrians because drivers ignore the rules of the road.

"They speed down Commercial Street and Box Street all summer," said

Keith Sirchio. "I wouldn't walk out onto Commercial Street. There is a stop sign there that most people ignore."

The drag racing in the area dates back to a time when there were many desolate streets with few cars, residents said.

Police did not return repeated requests for comment.



GOING GREEN: Cesar Gomez, 16, of Bushwick, is obviously proud of his work. Photo by Elizabeth Graham

D'town teen clean team

BY JAIME LUTZ

All in all, it was just another plant in the wall.

A Downtown plaza that neighbors busy Flatbush Avenue got spruced up by students from George Westinghouse High School on Thursday. The green-thumbed teens crafted a living wall from discarded crates and vegetable plants, adding welcome greenery to the austere plaza between Gold and

Willoughby streets.

The 14 students have been working with the Downtown Brooklyn Partnership on the area they are calling Future Plaza since May, enlisting the help of La Fantastica Design Studio to create an aesthetically pleasing plan for the space.

And the wall is just the beginning. Next spring, the group will install another vegetable garden, flat this time.



Recycled as a can.
Reborn as a can.

Recycle everything.
Call 311 or visit nyc.gov to learn more

NYC
Recycles



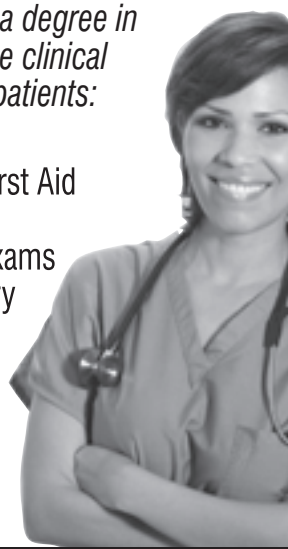
PLAZA COLLEGE

Est. 1916

MEDICAL ASSISTING¹

Begin your career with a degree in a field that gives you the clinical experience to care for patients:

- Taking vital signs
- Performing CPR & First Aid
- Administering EKG's
- Performing patient exams
- Assisting in laboratory procedures
- Performing office procedures
- OSHA techniques
- Phlebotomy (drawing blood)

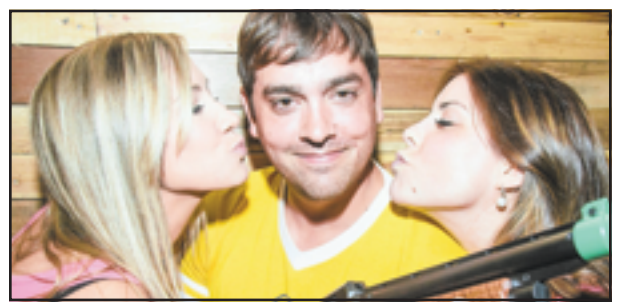


CALL NOW 718.502.6248

www.PlazaCollege.edu

74-09 37 AVE., JACKSON HEIGHTS, QUEENS

¹ www.PlazaCollege.edu/disclosures



Bushwick is big on 'Buck Hunter'

BY JAIME LUTZ

It comes as no surprise that Pinebox Rock Shop, Bushwick's diveiest bar that serves only vegan drinks, is also the Big Buck Hunter capital of New York — racking up 285 more games in a month than its closest competition.

Nor does it come as a surprise that the bar, on Grattan Street between Morgan and Bogart streets, was an honored stop on Thursday during the video game's Summer Training Tour, which pits Buck amateurs against the Buck

master — Chris Fream, the 2012 world Big Buck Hunter champion.

Yes — that exists.

In honor of the visitation from the champ, the bar had four Buck Hunter consoles on free play, saving quarters better used for laundry (but not tips, we hope).

There was even a mini-tournament, hosted by the "Big Buck Girls" (models in tight T-shirts). That this was part of the event should be obvious to Buck fans, since the game has almost as much cleavage as it does caribou.



BIG GUN: (Above) Reigning Big Buck Hunter champion Chris Fream finds his target at the Pinebox Rock Shop in Bushwick. (Left) Fream is targeted by some fans. Photos by Stefano Giovannini

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 695(2)(b) of the General Municipal Law and Section 1802(6)(j) of the Charter, notice is hereby given that the Department of Housing Preservation and Development ("HPD") of the City of New York ("City") has proposed the sale of the following City-owned property (collectively, "Disposition Area") in the Borough of Brooklyn:

Address
137 Jamaica Avenue

Block/Lot
3487/p/o Lot 20

Under the Section 202 Supportive Housing Program for the Elderly, not-for-profit sponsors selected by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") purchase land from the City or from private owners and then construct residential buildings (or rehabilitate existing vacant buildings) on such land. HUD provides acquisition, construction, and permanent financing through a capital advance and the City provides tax exemption pursuant to Section 422 of the Real Property Tax Law. The completed buildings provide rental housing for elderly persons of low income and receive operating subsidies from HUD through a project rental assistance contract.

HPD has designated Cypress Hills Senior Housing Development Fund Corporation ("Sponsor") as qualified and eligible to purchase and redevelop the Disposition Area under the Section 202 Supportive Housing Program for the Elderly. The City proposes to sell the Disposition Area to the Sponsor at the price of \$1 per tax lot pursuant to Article 16 of the General Municipal Law. The Sponsor will thereafter be required to undertake the new construction of a 5-story elevator building in the Disposition Area. When completed, the building will provide 53 units of rental housing for elderly persons of low income, plus one unit for a superintendent.

The appraisal and the proposed Land Disposition Agreement and Project Summary are available for public examination at the office of HPD, 100 Gold Street, Room 5-A1, New York, New York on business days during business hours.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a public hearing will be held on September 9, 2013 at Second Floor Conference Room, 22 Reade Street, Manhattan at 10:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be reached on the calendar, at which time and place those wishing to be heard will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning the proposed sale of the Disposition Area pursuant to Section 695(2)(b) of the General Municipal Law and Section 1802(6)(j) of the Charter.

Individuals requesting sign language interpreters should contact the Mayor's Office of Contract Services, Public Hearings Unit, 253 Broadway, Room 915, New York, New York 10007, (212) 788-7490, no later than seven (7) business days prior to the public hearing. TDD users should call Verizon relay services.



Michael R. Bloomberg
Mayor

Mathew M. Wambua
Commissioner, HPD

COMPOST YOUR FOOD SCRAPS

at GREENMARKET

Drop off household fruit and vegetable scraps at

Windsor Terrace - PS154 Greenmarket

Sundays, 9am-1pm

11th Ave b/t Sherman & Windsor

www.GrowNYC.org/compost | 212.788.7964



GrowNYC and DSNY Food Scrap Compost Program

A program partnership between the City of New York, the NYC Department of Sanitation, GrowNYC, and community partners.

CATS IMATIDIS FOR MAYOR

WHOM DO YOU TRUST TO KEEP YOU SAFE?

The Professional Politicians on the City Council, or the Law Enforcement Professionals of the NYPD?



John Catsimatidis

THE CITY COUNCIL VOTED TO MAKE OUR STREETS UNSAFE

**We Must Hold Speaker Quinn And
Council Members Accountable For The
Rise In Crime That Could Result**

We Must NOT Let New York Become Another Chicago!

SUPPORT JOHN CATSIMATIDIS IN THE FIGHT TO KEEP NEW YORK SAFE

- **OPPOSE** the Community "Safety" Act
- **Keep** Commissioner Ray Kelly in place
- **Add** more police in all five boroughs
- **Support** the Stop-And-Frisk Program
- **Provide** resources the NYPD Needs
- **Stop** terrorists in their tracks

**John Catsimatidis Has Been Endorsed By The
NYPD's Sergeants Benevolent Association**

***"John Catsimatidis has the courage to stand-up
to the City Council on issues like Stop and Frisk
and the so-called Community Safety Act."***

- Ed Mullins, President



**SBA President Ed Mullins
with John Catsimatidis**

Vote For John Catsimatidis In The September 10th Republican Primary!

www.CATS2013.com

Paid for by the CATS2013 Committee



@ JohnCats2013



@ JCats2013

Shake Shack on tap for Dumbo

BY JAIME LUTZ

Three makes a trend — and Brooklyn is trending toward Shake Shack!

The milkshake and burger joint is coming to Dumbo, making it the third in the borough by the time it opens in the old Pete's Downtown location in mid-2014.

The upscale burger chain announced the new restaurant last Wednesday. Shake Shack will take over the large space in the prime location on Old Fulton Street at Water Street, steps from the Brooklyn Bridge Park, and its opening will come on the heels of a new Barclays Center location.

"Amazing views of the Brooklyn Bridge and Manhattan skyline? We're in!" Shake Shack said on its Facebook page.

Restaurateur Danny Meyer's famous patty parlor will fill a restaurant space that has been vacant since

the landmark Pete's Downtown closed in early 2012. The corner building, built in 1835, once housed the Franklin House Hotel, which anchored an important center of trade before the construction of the Brooklyn Bridge. The new Shake Shack will have some iconic neighbors to contend with, sitting next door to the River Cafe and down Old Fulton Street from Grimaldi's.

The cow product-centric eatery's first location opened to great fanfare in 2011.



WHAT'S SHAKE-IN': Shake Shack manager Mark Rosati is the man behind the upscale chain's milkshakes.

Photo by Stefano Giovanni

Dog slasher

Continued from page 3

"It is really important for [prosecutors] to build a complete, factual, and convincing history of violence on this guy," fellow-

ship president Garry Osgood said.

Barden's arrest comes three years after he was released from prison following a 1992 guilty plea for shooting a gun at a

police officer, according to the district attorney's office.

His pit bull will continue to remain in the care of Animal Care and Control, a spokesman for the animal group said.

For more Brooklyn news on your computer, smartphone, or iPad, visit BrooklynDaily.com.

R-ide the new Brooklyn local!

BY WILL BREDDERMAN

Straphangers commuting along the R in Brooklyn are enjoying quicker trips and brighter, cleaner, more modern trains thanks to the closure of the line's link to Manhattan — but it won't last, according to the Metropolitan Transit Authority.

The agency said that its 14-month shutdown of the Montague Street tunnel — the tube under the East River — for repairs related to Hurricane Sandy has meant Kings County commuters can move about in their own borough without having to deal with backups from the Manhattan and Queens section of the line.

"That means trains aren't being held back and you're seeing more seamless service in Brooklyn," said transit spokesman Kevin Ortiz.

Bay Ridge commuters are also riding in much newer cars than before. The agency services the older R46 model cars that usually run on the R line — which have been in the system since the Koch Administration — at a maintenance facility in Queens, so Ortiz said the transit authority would be unlikely to transfer them back to Brooklyn while the Mon-



FLEETING LUXURY: The Metropolitan Transit Authority says the modern trains and quick commutes in Brooklyn will last until the end of construction.

CNG \ Will Bredderman

tague tunnel is closed.

As a result, R riders are getting a taste of the newer R160 trains normally reserved for J, Z, L, M, E, F, N, and Q line commuters.

But the convenience for those who both live and work on the Brooklyn side of the line will come to an end once the tunnel reopens next fall. Ortiz defended the agency's plan to again stick the Bay Ridge to Forest Hills local with the nearly 40-year-old trains, pointing out that the length of the cars makes them only compatible with a handful of lines, the R among them. He also argued that the old cars still run fine.

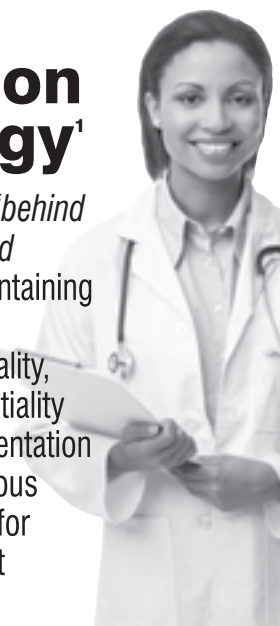
PLAZA COLLEGE

Est. 1916

Health Information Technology¹

The integral part of the "behind the scenes" medical field

- Gain experience in maintaining health records
- Learn to ensure the quality, accuracy, and confidentiality of vital medical documentation
- Become trained in various classification systems for medical reimbursement processes



CALL NOW 718.502.6248

www.PlazaCollege.edu

74-09 37 AVE., JACKSON HEIGHTS, QUEENS

¹ www.PlazaCollege.edu/disclosures

Attn: LANDLORDS

- Are Your Tenants Creating A Nuisance?
 - Do They Owe You Rent?
 - Need Them Evicted?
- Commercial & Residential

OVER 35 YEARS EXPERIENCE

For A **FREE** Consultation,
Call **718-788-5052**

HAGAN, COURY & Associates

908 4th Ave. • Brooklyn

Serving the Dental Needs for the Carroll Gardens and beyond for over 30 years!

- **Cosmetic Dentistry** - Porcelain Laminates, Bonding, Crowns and Bridges
- **Zoom** 1 Hour Tooth Whitening
- Gum Treatments
- Painless Non-Surgical Treatment for Gum Disease
- Dentures • Root Canal • Preventive Dentistry
- Analgesia (Sweet Air)



Plus Autoclave State-of-the-art Sterilization

Most Dental Plans Accepted

Special Attention To Nervous & Anxious Patients

Children Treated With Tender Loving Care

AUTOClave STATE-OF-THE-ART STERILIZATION



Dr. Jeffrey M. Kramer

544 Court Street Corner W. 9th St.

Carroll Gardens

Evening & Saturday Hours Available

Parking Available

624-5554 • 624-7055



the thief in there and went to confront him, but before he could, the thief locked him in the back of the truck.

Driving need for parts

A group of car-part thieves have been pulling the catalytic converters out of cars in the neighborhood, police say.

Crooks stole the converter — which is a very expensive part made with platinum — out of a car parked on Meeker Avenue on Aug. 16.

The victim told police she left her vehicle in front of a warehouse between between Van Dam and Varick streets and went inside.

When she came out at 9 am, she saw three men working on the car, who then ran off with the part.

Police say bandits then stole the part out of three cars parked in a public lot on Freeman Street the next day.

Officers report the converters went missing from the autos in the lot near West Street sometime between 4 and 8 pm.

Shooting for a free gun

Someone stole a gun and other items out of a woman's car on Lorimer Street on Aug. 17.

The woman told police that she parked her vehicle between Bayard Street and Driggs Avenue while she hung out in McCarren Park. She heard the alarm go off at 2:05 pm and ran to her car to find the window smashed and her Smith and Wesson gun missing, along with a purse, tote bag, gold chain, and diamond earrings.

— *Danielle Furfaro*

68TH PRECINCT

BAY RIDGE-DYKER HEIGHTS

On hold

Two brutes put a man in a chokehold and stole his bag on Senator Street on Aug. 12, police say.

The victim reported that he was walking to his car parked between Third and Fourth avenues at 7:10 pm when one of the punks grabbed him and put him in a headlock. The other demanded his satchel.

"Drop your bag," the mugger ordered.

The man let go of the sack — with \$5,500 in cash and two pairs of glasses inside — and the goons grabbed it. The thugs then jumped into a nearby car and sped away.

Empty-handed

Two thugs jumped a woman for her empty purse on 64th Street on Aug. 13, according to cops.

The victim told police she was walking between 12th and 13th avenues at 2:50 pm when the lowlifes ran up behind her and knocked her to the ground. The pair then grabbed her purse and, after a struggle, pulled it away. The woman suffered a minor arm injury, but no severe losses, since there were no valuables in the bag.

Hit and run

A pedal-pushing punk snatched a

woman's purse on 78th Street on Aug. 16, authorities alleged.

The victim said she was near Third Avenue at 11:15 am when the bike-riding brute rolled up, jumped off, and shoved her to the ground. The crook then seized her bag — with \$100 cash inside.

Homeless beating

A vicious villain struck a homeless man with a piece of wood inside McKinley Park on Aug. 13, according to police.

The victim said he was sitting inside the green space near the corner of 66th Street and Seventh Avenue at 2 pm when the fiend came up and cracked him on the skull with the chunk of lumber.

Dyker heist

A perp pillaged a 68th Street apartment of cash and electronics on Aug. 15, cops reported.

The victim said he left his pad between Eighth Avenue and Fort Hamilton Parkway at 8 am. When he returned at 9:30 pm, he found his home ransacked, and his two iPhones, one iPod, and \$3,300 in cash missing.

Re-tooled

A crook ripped off thousands of dollars in tools from an 88th Street construction site sometime overnight on Aug. 14, cops said.

The contractor said his workers got off the job at 3:30 pm, and locked the plywood fence behind them. When the laborers returned at 11:30 am the next day, they found a sheet of plywood removed, and a nail gun, compressor, impact drill — plus its battery and charger — several ladders, a hammer, and two saws all gone.

Shoplifter

A pickpocket swiped a woman's wallet from her purse inside an 86th Street clothing store on Aug. 17, police state.

The victim said she was perusing the racks at the shop between Fourth and Fifth avenues at 1:40 pm when she felt somebody bump up against her. But she did not think much of it until a few minutes later, when she looked in her pocketbook and discovered her billfold missing.

— *Will Bredderman*

61ST PRECINCT

SHEEPSHEAD BAY-HOMECREST-
MANHATTAN BEACH-GRAVESEND

When gangs attack

Cops arrested a 22-year-old man for allegedly taking part in the gang robbery of a man on Coney Island Avenue on Aug. 15, taking \$400 and the victim's phone.

The victim told police that he was meeting the suspect between Avenue P and Quentin Road at 12:30 am. Five more guys showed up and they and the suspect started beating the victim before taking his cash and phone, cops said.

— *Colin Mixson*

PORTABELLA

NEW
ARRIVALS

BACK TO FALL
SALE
SAVE UP TO
60% OFF
NEW
FASHION

PLUS LAST CALL ON SUMMER • SAVE UP TO **85%**



PLUS LAST
CALL FOR
SUMMER

BUY 1 SUIT
AT THE VALUE PRICE
GET 2 FREE

Or Buy 1 At Our Everyday Low Sale Price

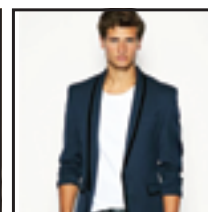
	value	sale	NOW!
New Slim.....	\$225.....	\$99 ⁹⁹	3 for \$225
Fashion Vested....	\$350.....	\$139 ⁹⁹	3 for \$350
Merino Wool.....	\$400.....	\$159 ⁹⁹	3 for \$400

BIG & TALL • BOYS • TUXEDOS & RENTALS

SUITS \$59⁹⁹



Jeans
Slim, boot, regular cuts
from **\$19⁹⁹**



Casual Blazers
Great with jeans
New European Slim collection
from **\$39⁹⁹**



Contemporary Shirts
The newest styles
\$13⁶⁷
3 for \$30



PVOL BLACK
European collection
Exclusively @ Portabella
from **\$9⁹⁹**

The largest selection in New York
SHOES
\$19⁹⁹ \$29⁹⁹ \$39⁹⁹



Driving • Dress • Tuxedo • Fashion • Casual • Boys • Clarks • Steve Madden • Kenneth Cole • Florsheim

Portabella

Shop at PortabellaStores.com

BROOKLYN

503 Nostrand Ave. - Portabella
320 Livingston - Portabella
1671 Pitkin Ave. - Portabella
5205 5th Ave. - Portabella
423 Knickerbocker Ave. - Portabella
294 Utica Ave. - Portabella
1555 Flatbush Ave. - Portabella
851 Flatbush Ave. - Portabella
552 Nostrand Ave. - Fino
469 Fulton St. - Fino
5007 Church Ave. - Fino

QUEENS

163-18 Jamaica Ave. - Portabella
3056 Steinway St. - Portabella
164-08 Jamaica Ave. - Fino
Queens Center - Quails
NEW JERSEY
174 Main St. Paterson - Portabella
Rockaway Town Square - Quails
807 Broad St. - Portabella
Livingston Mall - Quails
Woodbridge Center - Quails
5516 Bergenline Ave - Quails
Freehold Raceway Mall - Quails

BRONX

Bruckner Plaza - Portabella
12-20 E. Fordham Rd. - Portabella
2887 3rd Ave. - Portabella
3449 Jerome Ave. - Portabella
66-96 Burnside Ave. - Fino
2938 3rd Ave. - Fino
345 East Fordham Rd. - Fino
259 E. Fordham Rd. - Britches
645 E. Tremont Ave. - Britches
1498 Parkchester Ave. - Portabella

MANHATTAN

243 W. 125th St. - Portabella
617 W. 181 St. - Portabella
120 W. 125th St. - Fino
1405 St. Nicholas Ave. - Fino
One Park Ave. - Quails
Manhattan Mall - Portabella

Prices effective through September 2nd - All savings off value prices.

78TH PRECINCT

PARK SLOPE

Pricey heist

A crook looted nearly \$10,000 worth of goods from a man's Ninth Street apartment on Aug. 15.

The 27-year-old man told police that the perp broke into his residence near Fourth Avenue while he was at work around 2:30 pm by pushing the air conditioner into the window on the first floor and climbing inside.

The thief made off with a MacBook laptop, a Michael Kors watch, a Movado watch, a Philippe Patek watch, an antique diamond ring, a pearl necklace, and a Swarovski bracelet.

Crutched away

A handicapped crook stole a woman's purse while she was working at a Fourth Avenue candy store on Aug. 14.

The 31-year-old victim told police that the perp, who was walking with one crutch, made his way into the basement of the establishment near Seventh Street at 11:40 am and snagged the woman's purse, which was holding her Yemen passport, \$700, and \$112 unlimited MetroCard.

Jacked two-wheelers

A bandit swiped a man's two bicycles that were chained to a bike rack on Ninth Street on Aug. 17.

The 38-year-old victim told police that he locked up the folding two-wheelers — each priced at \$1,500 — on the rack between Fifth and Sixth avenues at 5:10 pm. When he returned just 10 minutes later, the bikes were gone.

Tag team

Two perps waltzed into a Seventh Avenue Thai restaurant and made off with a worker's belongings on Aug. 15.

The 23-year-old victim told cops that the male and female duo walked into the eatery between Lincoln Place and Saint John's Place at 4 pm and asked about the menu. The face-tattooed blonde woman kept the staff busy as the man walked into the back of the restaurant and grabbed the employee's purse, debit and credit cards, and identification.

The victim said that the perps made a \$91 purchase with her debit card at a subway station, according to a police report.

Ransacked

A criminal burglarized a woman's Prospect Park West apartment and made off with a MacBook laptop on Aug. 12.

The 39-year-old victim told police that the perp broke into her home between 13th and 14th streets while she was at work sometime between 7 am and 7:30 pm. When she returned to her abode she found her apartment in disarray and with the back window open and the screen slashed, according to a police report.

POLICE
BLOTTER

Car loot

A robber stole a bunch of items from a parked car on Third Avenue sometime between Aug. 12 and Aug. 13.

The 31-year-old victim told cops that he parked his black Toyota near Baltic Street on Aug. 12 at 8 pm. When he returned the next day at 2:45 pm he noticed that his navigation system, bicycle, first-aid kit, and eye-washing water bottle were missing from his ride.

Choked out

Cops arrested a 52-year-old woman who they say choked another woman at an Eighth Avenue community center on Aug. 15.

The 53-year-old victim told cops that the suspect strangled her after the two got into an argument inside the establishment between 14th and 15th streets.

Ride gone

A thief stole a man's car from its First Street parking spot sometime overnight on Aug. 16.

The 50-year-old victim told police that he left his blue Volvo on the street between Fifth and Sixth avenues on Aug. 16 at 5:30 pm. When he returned the next morning at 7:15, his ride was missing.

— *Natalie Musumeci*

84TH PRECINCT

BROOKLYN HEIGHTS-DUMBO-BOERUM HILL-
DOWNTOWN

Bank bomb threat

A bank robber ran off with nearly \$3,000 after threatening to blow up a Chase Bank on Flatbush Avenue on Aug. 14, police said.

The perp passed a note to a teller at the business near Fulton Street at 1:23 pm, demanding money and saying that he had an explosive with him. The suspect — described as a 40-year-old white man about 5-foot-6, 180 pounds, and with brown hair — took \$2,760 from the financial institution.

Bike share

A burglar stole \$1,900 worth of bikes from a yard on Columbia Heights on Aug. 2, police said.

The thief apparently climbed a fence near Everit Street and made off with the bikes between 2 and 7 am. Unfortunately, there were no security cameras on the scene.

Stick happens

An apparently disturbed man attacked someone with a wooden stick on a Coney Island-bound Q train near the Dekalb Avenue stop on Aug. 17, police claimed.

The victim was listening to his iPod at 12:10 pm when a man with a strange expression on his face started whacking him across his head and arms until the victim was able to escape the subway car. Police were not able to find the man on the train, and the victim said that the perp did not appear to be homeless.

Tread lightly

An athletic thief took a wallet left on the treadmill of an Atlantic Avenue gym on Aug. 16, police said.

The victim said he absentmindedly left the treadmill near Boerum Place at 4:20 pm. When he returned to the exercise machine 10 minutes later, the wallet was gone.

Expensive taste

Three unknown crooks stole expensive designer clothes from a boutique on Atlantic Avenue on Aug. 16, police said.

The suspects took a Chanel lace jumper, two Rick Owens blazers, and a Theory jacket from the store between Hoyt and Bond streets without paying. A security tape showed that the perps hid the merchandise, valued at \$3,860 in total, under their clothes.

Automatic taking machine

A nasty bandit punched a man in the face and robbed him while he was leaving a Livingston Street bank on Aug. 16, police said.

The suspect made off with \$760 in cash from the victim at the establishment near Smith Street at 11:10 am.

Movers and takers

Movers stole from their client as he was relocating to a new home on Third Avenue on Aug. 15, according to a police report.

The man told police he walked inside his new home near Wyckoff Street only to have the moving van drive off with his designer accessories, clothes, and a stand-alone closet — at 6 pm. — *Jaime Lutz*

94TH PRECINCT

GREENPOINT-NORTHSIDE

Empty threats

A pair of jokers threatened to stab a guy

and then stole his property on N. Fourth Street on Aug. 12.

The victim told police he was talking on his phone while walking between Berry and Bedford avenues at 11:50 pm when the two came up behind him and grabbed the phone out of his hand.

Then the other robber started going through the victim's pockets and took his backpack.

"Don't make this hard on yourself," one of them said. "Don't make me stab you."

They took the victim's laptop computer, iPhone, wallet, backpack, and cash and ran off down the street. The victim told police he waited two hours to call 911 because he was "in a state of shock."

Stick 'em up

A robber pretending to have a gun in his waistband stole from a guy on Bushwick Avenue on Aug. 15.

The victim told police that he was near Skillman Avenue on his way home from the L train at 3:45 am when the robber cut in front of him and stuck his finger in his waist as if he had a gun.

"If you move I will f----- shoot you," the robber said. "Give me your phone."

The victim took his wallet out of his pocket and gave it to the robber, but he was not satisfied and asked for more. The victim then handed over his cellphone and the robber ran down Skillman Avenue.

Gassing it up

A gassy robber held up a Morgan Avenue service station with a gun on Aug. 15.

The clerk told police that the robber stormed into the station between Anthony Street and Meeker Avenue at 10:50 pm brandishing a gun.

"Give me your money," the robber said, while pointing the gun in the clerk's face.

The brazen clerk refused and grabbed the gun and the two struggled until the robber got his gun back and ran out the door.

He said 'no, no, no'

A man allegedly strangled his girlfriend on Norman Avenue on Aug. 12 because she asked him to go to rehab.

The 30-year-old woman told police that she was arguing with her boyfriend in her apartment between Diamond and Jewel streets at 7 am, trying to get him to go to rehab, when he put his hands around her neck and squeezed.

The boyfriend then punched her with a closed fist and then picked up a kitchen knife, cops said.

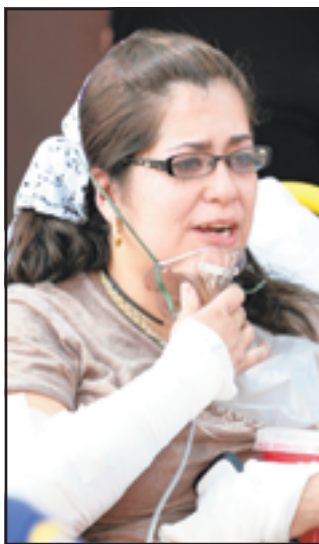
"I'm going to kill you," he allegedly said.

Smoking hot

An opportunistic thief jumped on the back of delivery truck on Kent Avenue on Aug. 8 and stole \$6,000 worth of cigarettes while the driver was not looking.

The driver told police that he parked in front of a drug store between N. Fourth and N. Fifth streets at 10:30 am and went into the store to make a delivery.

When he came back to the truck, he saw



Woman saved from top-story blaze

BY NATALIE MUSUMECI

A fire broke out on the top floor of a Prospect Heights apartment building on Friday afternoon, injuring a woman who was trapped inside, witnesses and fire department officials said.

Firefighters rushed to the scene and rescued resident Annika DePaula from the flames, said Peter Ent-

ner, a former resident of the apartment who witnessed the fire.

"She said she walked in her room and the curtain was on fire," said Entner, who lived with DePaula and two other roommates at the duplex apartment on the fourth and fifth floors until a week ago.

The flames began at about 12:36 pm on the fifth

story of the Underhill Avenue residence, between Pacific Street and Washington Avenue, and took 60 firefighters to extinguish, a fire department spokesman said.

"The whole fifth story was on fire," said Entner, owner of the neighborhood pizza joint Pete Zaaz, adding that many of his belongings were ruined by

the blaze. "Everything was completely destroyed."

DePaula suffered burns on her arms and hands and was taken to Weill Cornell Medical Center where she was listed in stable condition, the fire spokesman said.

The cause of the fire, which was brought under control about 30 minutes after it sparked, is under investigation.

ABLAZE: (Above) Firefighters put out a massive blaze (center) on the fifth floor of a Prospect Heights apartment building on Aug. 16 that injured resident Annika DePaula (left). Photos by Paul Martinka

**Checking that Earns Over 10X the National Average* —
Plus a \$100 Bonus with Direct Deposit** and a Great CD Rate!**

**Grand Yield
NOW Checking
0.50%
APY***
no other accounts required

**Get
\$100****
with Direct Deposit into Grand Yield
NOW Checking or ExtraValue Checking

**2 Year CD
1.05%
APY*****
\$1,000 minimum to open

Don't miss these great offers and a free gift with
your new account[†] at Apple Bank branches.
Visit one of our 77 branches today!

Apple Bank

Established 1863 · Member FDIC

www.applebank.com • 914-902-2775



*Grand Yield NOW Checking may be opened with \$100 minimum deposit. \$2,500 minimum daily balance required to earn the current 0.50% Annual Percentage Yield (APY) and avoid a monthly maintenance fee. Fees may reduce earnings. Please see account disclosure for details. 0.50% APY is effective as of July 9, 2013 and may be changed by the Bank at any time. *National average of 0.04% APY on interest-bearing checking accounts is as of July 9, 2013 and is based on interest checking APYs offered by the top 50 US bank and thrift holding companies by deposits. Source: Informa Research Services, Inc., Calabasas, CA. www.informars.com. Although the information has been obtained from the various financial institutions, the accuracy cannot be guaranteed. **Totally Free ExtraValue Checking account requires \$100 minimum opening balance. Direct Deposit \$100 bonus offer for new accounts only. **Receipt of \$100 bonus is contingent upon establishing Direct Deposit of a recurring payment into the newly established checking account and that Direct Deposit must be verified within 60 days of account opening, prior to crediting the \$100 to the account. To qualify for this offer, a recurring payment must be payroll, Federal/state government benefit, or pension benefit checks. The \$100 will be considered interest earned on your checking account for the year in which it was received and it may be necessary to report this as taxable income for that calendar year. Checking accounts cannot be opened with funds from an existing Apple Bank account. One bonus offer per customer. Employees of Apple Bank and its subsidiaries and their immediate family are not eligible for \$100 bonus. ***CDs require minimum deposit of \$1,000 to open and earn interest. Early withdrawal penalties may apply. Accounts must be opened in person at an Apple Bank branch. APY is effective as of July 9, 2013 and may be changed by the Bank at any time. †Gifts available while supplies last. Offers may be discontinued by the Bank at any time without prior notice.

Urgent Care & Primary Care in Brooklyn Heights

300 Cadman Plaza West
17th and 18th Floors
Brooklyn, NY

929-210-6000
www.mountsinai.org/
brooklyn-heights



Mount Sinai board certified physicians

Whether you have an urgent medical need or are looking for a high-quality primary care physician, Mount Sinai board certified physicians are available in Brooklyn Heights to deliver personalized and coordinated health care services, focusing on the wellness of the each individual patient. **Good health starts here.**

Primary Care

Call to make an appointment

Urgent Care Hours

Monday–Friday | 9 am to 9 pm
Saturday–Sunday | 9 am to 5 pm

No appointments needed for
Urgent Care

Many insurance plans accepted



**Mount
Sinai
Doctors**

Brooklyn Heights

Gowanus voters condemn poll hike

More than 1,500 told to vote in Red Hook

BY NATALIE MUSUMECI

It's a poll too far.

A polling place move is supposed to make voting more handicap-accessible for Gowanus residents, but the voting booths are headed to a hard-to-reach part of Red Hook, meaning ballot-casters will have to vote with their feet — and some might not make it.

"The change makes no sense. It is totally out of our area," said 11th Street resident Jane Janiak, 66. "As a senior, I know I won't do that trip and I can't see mothers with children doing it either."

For the past several years, Gowanus residents have cast their votes at Camp Friendship on Eighth Street in Park Slope, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, but 1,683 registered voters recently learned that they will have to schlep to the Joseph Miccio Community Center in Red Hook for the Democratic primary election on Sept. 10. The Board of Elections says it made the move because Camp Friendship was deemed "inaccessible" to people with handicaps following a recent federal ruling that all polling places must be Americans with Disabilities Act compliant, an election board spokeswoman said. But area vot-



TAXING POLL: Gowanus voters can't understand the polls' move to Red Hook's Joseph Miccio Community Center, a location they say will be hard for them to reach.

Photo by Stefano Giovannini

ers say the new polls are less, not more accessible.

Impacted voters say that the new polling location, which is on W. Ninth Street between Hamilton Avenue and Henry Street, is way out of the way for Park Slope seniors, disabled people, and stroller-pushing parents, since the site is across busy Hamilton Avenue from the nearest B61 bus stop, three long blocks away.

"How are we supposed to trek down to the Miccio Center and cross that wide and dangerous roadway?" asked Third Avenue resi-

dent Lorraine Muczyn, 70, who has a heart problem. "No citizen of New York City who wishes to vote should face this kind of unfair situation."

Residents said that their polling place has moved in the past, but that each move was only a few blocks — never as far as this. When voters received mail notifying them of the change, they inundated the office of Councilman Brad Lander (D-Park Slope) with complaints, which the councilman's office says it hears loud and clear.

"The Board of Elections should be making it easier, not harder, for people to vote," said Alex Moore, a spokesman for Lander.

The Board of Elections' response? People who do not like it should vote from home.

"Anyone that feels the distance is too far, they can always request an absentee ballot," said election board spokeswoman Valerie Vazquez.

The Board of Elections website specifies the following reasons to qualify for voting with an absentee ballot: occupation, business, studies, travel, imprisonment, illness, disability and hospitalization. Apparently borough voters can add inconvenience to that list.

RERUN | GASTROPUB THEATER

147 FRONT ST. DUMBO, BKLYN, NY { F TO YORK ST }

W.W.W.

RERUNTHEATER.COM
FOR PREVIEWS, SHOWTIMES
& TICKETS FOR ALL SHOWS

**"INDIE CINEMA
WITH A BUZZ"**



FEATURING
A FULL BAR AND MENU

THE MOXIE SPOT

2 blocks from B. Bridge Park Pier 6 Playgrnd
2 floors Restaurant and Play Space
81 Atlantic Ave (@Hicks) 718-923-9710

"Best Restaurant Play Room" - TimeOut NY Kids!

NIGHT

Wii Night

Family Disco

Movie Night, Bingo Night!

Singalongs

Storytimes

Dance Around

DAY

Mon-Wed 10am—6:30pm,
Thurs-Sun 10am — 8:30pm
www.themoxiespot.com

Singalongs \$5/child, Otherwise 2nd Floor Play Fee \$2.50/child
\$5 max Play fees per family, \$2.50 play fee waived with each \$15 food purchase

shindig

at The Moxie Spot Restaurant

Live Music Every Saturday Night! 9:30PM – 2AM
ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC NIGHT
Beer - Wine - Drink Specials - Kitchen open until 1am -
www.facebook.com/shindigbrooklyn

www.divorcefast.com

OBTAIN A
FAST DIVORCE
in as little as
24 HOURS

**THE PROCESS
IS QUICK,
EASY,
LEGAL AND
AFFORDABLE**

WE ARE HERE TO HELP!!
Visit us online or
CALL NOW!

978-443-8387

**Serving
the
community
for over
50 years**

Judge: A LICH in time saves nine

Surprise ruling takes hospital from state

BY JAIME LUTZ

Clear!

Long Island College Hospital got a shocking jolt yesterday when a judge ordered the hospital out of state hands because of what she called the state's possible "sinister purpose to seize its assets and dismantle the hospital."

Brooklyn Supreme Court Judge Carolyn Demarest's court order ripped the hospital from the grip of the State University of New York, which has been trying since February to close the hospital's doors. In her order, Demarest wrote that the state may have taken over the hospital in a bad-faith scheme to shutter the 155-year-old Cobble Hill institution and unload the real estate it sits on, which according to her is worth as much as a billion dollars. The judge wrote that she could not say whether a tough medical market, the state's incompetence, or a real estate scheme were behind the closure plan, but that the state definitely dropped the ball and could no longer be trusted to care for the medical center.

"At the very least, there appears to have been a lack of due diligence," Demarest wrote in the order.

The judge oversaw the state's 2011 takeover of the hospital from management company Continuum Health Partners and her Tuesday ruling threw a wrench in court battles that have been raging over the hospital's fate.

Demarest recommended the teaching hospital to be returned to Continuum management, but the former operator issued a statement saying it would be unable to take the reins, leaving the health care facility without a clear caretaker.

Despite the uncertainty, hospital advocates say that the unexpected ruling was a victory that at least backed up what they have been say-



SIDEWALK JUSTICE: New York State Nurses Association head Jill Furillo holds a press conference following a Brooklyn Supreme Court decision to rescind the 2011 sale of Long Island College Hospital to the state.

Community Newspaper Group / Jaime Lutz

ing for years: that the state took over the medical center to sell it, not to save it.

"Real estate profits must not be put before the health care needs of an entire community," said New York State Nurses Association executive director Jill Furillo at a press conference following the ruling.

A new operator will likely still sell some hospital buildings and cut some services in order to save the hospital from financial freefall, but those steps must be done with the intent to keep it open as a general teaching hospital, according to the court order.

"At the very least, it is a probability that LICH can only be sustained as a smaller and leaner facility after the sale of some of its assets," Demarest wrote in the order.

A spokesman for the state university would not say if it will appeal the order — and hospital advocates question whether an appeal is even possible

without a full hearing into the state's original plans — but the state does contend that it acquired the hospital with "the best of intentions."

"Unfortunately, SUNY and LICH became victims of the daunting realities of Brooklyn's health care delivery landscape," said Robert Bellafore, a school spokesman. "We are disappointed it did not work, but it was not for lack of effort."

In 2011, the state said that its plan was to keep the hospital open indefinitely despite its poor financial situation — in fact, the deal included the understanding that the hospital would likely lose \$144.4 million for the first three years, according to the court order.

To date, Long Island College Hospital has only lost \$30 million, the order said.

The court is holding a hearing this Thursday to discuss transferring power back to Long Island College Hospital staff and getting a new hospital operator.

Will your family be at Union Temple for the High Holy Days?

Reserve your FREE tickets!

Tots' Services
Children's Services
Adult Services

For details and schedule:

www.uniontemple-hhd.org

Visit Our Open House

Sunday, September 8th • 9am - 1pm



Union Temple

A Reform Jewish Congregation

17 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, NY 11238

718-638-7600

www.uniontemple.org

Clear Healthy Skin isn't it time you call?

Medical Services we accept:

GHI, HIP, 1199, AETNA, CIGNA, UNITED, OXFORD, HORIZON, HEALTHNET, MEDICARE, BLUE CROSS, MAGNACARE, AMERICHoice, ELDERPLAN

Cosmetic Services Botox, Restylane, Juvederm, Radiesse, Sculptra, Laser Hair Removal, Laser Tattoo Removal, Laser Vein Removal, Torn Earlobe Repair, Keloid Surgery...

Coolsculpting Trim Fat, No Needles, No Downtime

**254 Prospect Park West
Park Slope**

**136 West 17th Street
NYC**

Javier Zelaya, MD
Verna Broughton, PA

718.832.3313

VMA's LAND HERE

Here's the down-low on MTV's first Brooklyn show

Brooklyn stand up — and get ready for detours.
The MTV Video Music Awards are happening for the first time ever in Brooklyn and that means unprecedented street closures around the Barclays Center to make way for limos full of big-name celebrities. Don't have the golden ticket? More worried about what the Aug. 25 awards show means for your weekend than what Beyonce will be wearing? Don't worry: Brooklyn Courier has you covered.
Prospect Heights residents eager for details packed a Monday meeting about the impacts of the awards show, but representatives for MTV and the mayor's office failed to appear, leaving many questions unanswered. Still, we have been able to glean a few things about what to expect when the moon man touches down:

Sixth Avenue is it

The star-studded event does not begin broadcasting until Sunday evening, but MTV has already started building the set for the hour-long red carpet session, which will take place towards the back of the arena on Sixth Avenue between Dean Street and Atlantic Avenue.

Lights, camera, noise

There will be a red carpet rehearsal sans celebrities on Saturday from 6:30 pm to 9 pm, complete with outdoor lights, loud music, cameras, and other production equipment, according to a letter MTV sent to neighbors.

Street closures galore

Sixth Avenue will shut down

between Atlantic Avenue and Dean Street, beginning on Friday and continuing through midnight on Sunday. Starting on Saturday at 7 am, there will be no parking allowed on Dean Street between Flatbush and Carlton avenues and on Pacific Street between Sixth and Carlton avenues. Police from the 78th Precinct will also shut down those streets periodically throughout Saturday and will close Pacific Street between Fourth and Flatbush avenues from Sunday at 2 pm until midnight, police sources said.

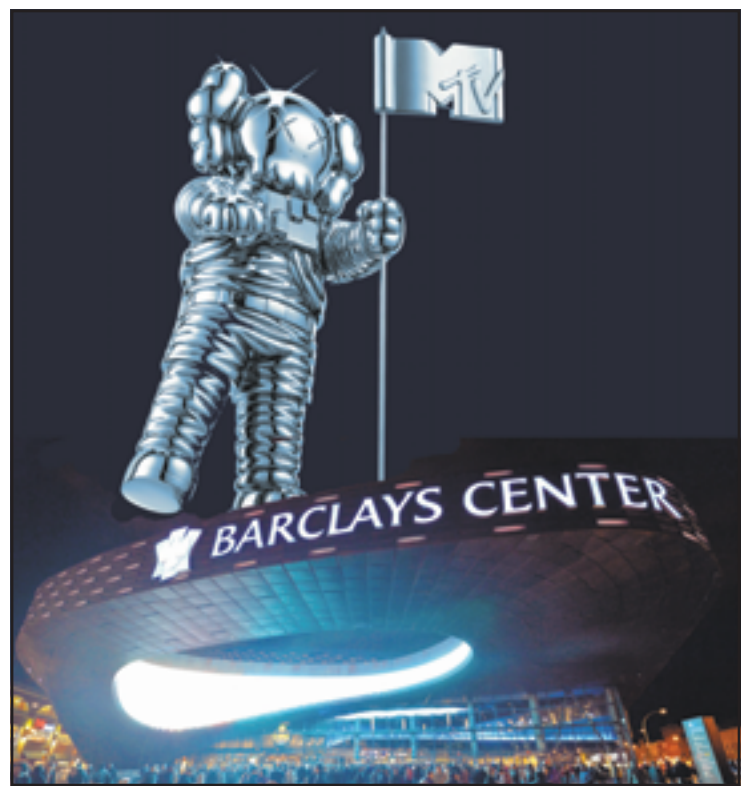
Papers, please

On the day of the awards show, Dean Street will be completely

blocked off between Flatbush and Carlton avenues and Pacific Street will be closed between Sixth and Carlton avenues. The closed blocks will be restricted to residents only, meaning residents will have to show identification to police officers to gain access, according to a letter sent out by the 78th Precinct Community Council.

A mixed parking bag

Neighborhood car owners will get a break from the parking crunch by way of a Barclays Center parking lot on Pacific Street that MTV has reserved for residents. Bicyclists are out of luck, though, as the bike parking racks in the large plaza near Sixth Avenue have been temporarily removed to make



GOING LUNAR: The MTV Video Music Awards are touching down in Brooklyn on Sunday and Barclays Center neighbors are worried about the traffic, noise, and inconvenience that are part of the all-star package. MTV and Associated Press

way for the production.

Room to pray

MTV is relocating Sunday service at Dean Street's Temple of

Restoration Church, according to a Barclays Center representative. Church services will be moved to the under-construction, for-
Continued on page 15



How to stay plugged in during a storm.

Our outage map keeps our nine million customers in the loop during an emergency. Whether you're on your computer or your smartphone, visit conEd.com to find the map, report a loss of power and get an estimated restoration time. You can also get storm safety tips and more. Whenever you have a power problem, always let us know. In the meantime, stay connected to Con Edison by giving us your updated contact information at 1-800-75-CONED and by following us on Facebook or Twitter.



Alleged P'Park serial dog attacker bailed out of jail

BY NATALIE MUSUMECI

The man arrested for allegedly stabbing and beating dogs in Prospect Park is free — for now.

Donnell Barden, 42, who police and park-goers say terrorized Brooklyn's backyard, was released from custody on Aug. 12 after coming up with \$2,500 bail, jail officials said. Dog owners who take their canine companions for walks in Prospect Park say they cannot believe the suspected serial dog attacker is out so soon after his Aug. 5 arrest.

"It was a shocker," said Brown, who testified against Barden at a Downtown grand jury after Barden allegedly sicced his pit bull on her Doberman pinscher in early August.

Barden faces a charge of aggravated animal cruelty, a felony, as well as counts of menacing, harassment, and criminal possession of a weapon, all misdemeanors. The charges stem from two incidents — the attack on Brown's Doberman and a May 17 incident in which Barden allegedly stabbed a dog about 10 times and threatened to knife its owner — but park-goers say Barden's violent spree started as early as February. Before Barden's release, a judge ordered him to stay away from his supposed victims, both the dogs and their owners, according to



ON THE OUTSIDE: Alleged dog attacker Donnell Barden, 42, who was arrested on Aug. 5, was released from custody on bail.

the district attorney's office.

The judge's words gave little reassurance to Brown after all that she says Barden has done.

"He put his hands on our pets," Brown said. "There was blood, there was trauma, and it affects everyone in the park."

Barden's next court date is Oct. 7, a Department of Corrections spokesman said, and prosecutors are urging other people who have had run-ins with the accused animal assaulter to come forward and testify, according to a letter from the district attorney's office that Fellowship in the Interest of Dogs and their Owners, Prospect Park's dog advocacy group, posted on its Facebook page.

Continued on page 10



ON GUARD: Prospect Park dog owners are not breathing so easy now that Donnell Barden, the alleged dog stabber who was arrested earlier this month, has been released from custody.

Photo by Elizabeth Graham



POPS FOR FREE: Seven-year-old Isabel Lopez enjoyed tasty frozen pops given out by Rockettes (from left) Rebekah Mitchell, Samantha Berger, Melinda Farrell, and Katie Walker in Park Slope on Aug. 13. The world-famous dancers were in town to pitch the frosty treats (below).

Photos by Stefano Giovannini

Rockettes high-kick in Slope

Legendary dancers pass out ice pops at People's Pops

BY NATALIE MUSUMECI

Christmas came early this year — at least for Park Slopers.

The legendary Rockettes high-kicked their way into the Slope last Tuesday to dish out free ice pops created especially for the precision dance troupe by a local pop shop.

Donning sexy, sparkling showgirl outfits, the long-legged ladies lined up and interacted with passersby in front of Union Street's People's Pops with the frozen treats to promote their upcoming, annual Christmas Spectacular production at Radio City Music Hall.

"It was so much fun," said

David Carrell, the co-founder of People's Pops, who added that seeing the troupe in the neighborhood was a surreal experience. "The Rockettes are kind of instant celebrities."

The rare summertime sighting of the showy ladies made for a great photo-op for families and children.

Carrell and his team created cranberry-apple-flavored "Rox Pops" for the Rockettes to pass out. The pop maker said that the all-

natural pops were inspired by the Christmas season.

"The idea was Christmas in August," said Carrell. "We made something that very much tasted Christmas-y."

The Rockettes toured all over the Big Apple on Tuesday, making their last stop in Park Slope. Carrell said that throughout the day the high-stepping ladies dished out 12,000 of the Rox Pops, which are going to be on sale at the shop through October.

If only they'd play Barclays.



Benefit for children of dead restaurateur

BY DANIELLE FURFARO

Union Pool hosted a benefit concert last Friday for the children of Colin Devlin, the award-winning Brooklyn restaurateur who committed suicide last month.

The bands Eastern Hollows, Dead Stars and American Darlings performed at the benefit.

The funds raised will go to the college funds of Ludivine and Cole, the children of Colin Devlin, who police say shot himself on the side of a Pennsylvania road on July 25.

Devlin was the owner of the popular restaurants DuMont, DuMont Burger and the recently-

shuttered Dressler. Media outlets have speculated that money woes led Devlin to take his own life, but his friends and family have refused to comment.

John Watterberg, the bassist for Dead Stars, organized the benefit. He and Devlin were ac-

Continued on page 15

INSIDE



Your entertainment
guide **Page 19**

Police Blotter8
Letters.....16
Standing O27
Sports.....29

HOW TO REACH US

Mail:

Courier Life
Publications, Inc.,
1 MetroTech Center North
10th Floor, Brooklyn,
N.Y. 11201

General Phone:

(718) 260-2500

News Fax:

(718) 260-2592

News E-Mail:

editorial@cnglocal.com

Display Ad Phone:

(718) 260-8302

Display Ad E-Mail:

jstern@cnglocal.com

Display Ad Fax:

(718) 260-2579

Classified Phone:

(718) 260-2555

Classified Fax:

(718) 260-2549

Classified E-Mail:

classified@cnglocal.com

SANDIMONIUM!

Long Islanders takes top prize at annual
Coney Island Beach castle contest

BY WILL BREDDERMAN

It's a wonderland of sand!

Dolphins, lions, and seals — not to mention castles — popped out of Coney Island's beach for the 23rd year in a row, as hundreds of artists descended on the People's Playground for the annual Sand-Sculpting Contest.

The molders came in all ages and from all over the New York metro area, shaping mounds of sand either individually or as teams.

Sponsors said the competition is a boon for commerce in the amusement district and raises Sodom by the Sea's profile as a destination.

"The event brings together the local community, businesses, and visitors for a day of true family fun," said Johanna Zaki,

spokeswoman for the Alliance for Coney Island business group.

But for the contestants, it was all about sand-sculpting as an art form.

"It's very therapeutic," said William "The Sandman" Petrosino, whose team placed second in the group competition. "It teaches you patience, and to live in the now, since once you make your sculpture, you can't take it with you — you have to leave it."

Petrosino — a personality on Kingsboro Community College radio and a Coney Island resident — said he and his teammates practiced once a week all summer long to prepare for the contest. When they hit the sand, the three decided to transform their pile of sand into three lions, and called the work "Pride and Joy."

"In the morning I didn't know what we were going to create," said Petrosino, whose team took home \$200.

Other winners said their work was similarly spontaneous.

"We built on the fly. We just let our imaginations run wild," said first-place winner Rich Demand of Seaclyff, Long Island.

Demand teamed up with buddies Tim O'Keefe and John Alberga to create "Merlin's Castle," a fantastic structure of gates and towers.

"We gave it a real airy kind of feel," said Demand.

The champion said he and his friends came in second in last year's contest — and vowed to return to Brooklyn in 2014 to defend their trophy against any challengers.



SURFACING: Nobody was sad to see this dolphin on Coney Island beach.
Photo by Steve Solomonson

"We went back with the attitude, 'we're going to win this time,'" said Demand, whose group won \$400. "Now we have to hold the title."



NOW THAT'S A SAND CASTLE: (Above) Rich Demand and his "Merlin's Castle" creation took first place in the adult category. (Right) Shaina Ashley Gonzales shows off her entry in the 23rd annual Sand-Sculpting Competition, held on Coney Island's beach on Aug. 17.
Photo by Steve Solomonson



PUBLISHER: Clifford Luster
V.P. OF ADVERTISING: Ralph D'Onofrio
CLASSIFIED DIRECTOR: Amanda Tarley

COURIER LIFE PUBLICATIONS
BROOKLYN COURIER

GENERAL INFORMATION (718) 260-2500 • **CLASSIFIED INFORMATION** (718) 260-2555

EDITOR: Vince DiMiceli • **DEPUTY EDITOR:** Bill Egbert, Nathan Tempey • **ASSIGNMENT EDITOR:** Courtney Donahue • **ARTS EDITOR:** Sol Park
REPORTERS: Danielle Furfaro, Jaime Lutz, Natalie Musumeci • **EDITORIAL ASSISTANTS:** Shavana Abruzzo, Joanna DelBuono

SPECIAL SECTIONS & LAYOUT MANAGER: On Man Tse • **ART DIRECTOR:** Leah Mitch • **ASST. LAYOUT MANAGER:** Yvonne Farley
WEB DESIGNER: Sylvan Migdal • **PRODUCTION ARTISTS:** Arthur Arutyunov, Charlotte Carter, Gardy Charles, Earl Ferrer, John Napoli, Connie Sulisenti, Jean Walsh

This newspaper is not responsible for typographical errors in ads beyond the cost of the space occupied by the error. All rights reserved. Copyright © 2013 by Courier Life Publications, Inc., a subsidiary of News Community Newspaper Holdings, Inc. The content of this newspaper is protected by Federal copyright law. This newspaper, its advertisements, articles and photographs may not be reproduced, either in whole or part, without permission in writing from the publisher except brief portions for purposes of review or commentary consistent with the law. Postmaster, send address changes to Courier Life Publications, Inc., One MetroTech North, 10th Floor, Brooklyn, NY 11201.

ONLINE AT:
BROOKLYN DAILY.com

MEMBER:
NEW YORK PRESS ASSOCIATION
NYPA