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## Pups to get their stroll on

BY MAX JAEGER

Could your pooch be America's Next Top Mongrel?

The Third Avenue Summer Stroll is looking for a few good dogs for its first-ever doggie talent show on July 18. Canine contestants don't exactly have to save Jimmy from a well, but they should at least know how to work a crowd, one organizer said.

"I'm not looking for super dog, I'm looking for a dog that would make the crowd laugh," said Debra Capone, who owns Third Avenue's Debra Rose Beauty Supplies and is organizing the show.

The competition promises prizes and glory for precocious pups who put on a good performance, Capone said.

The talent show is the latest addition to the ever-growing Bay Ridge street fest, which started in 2011 and has picked up steam in

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## Puffy Cyclones

First-baseman Jeffrey Diehl and his teammates took batting practice with puffy pirate shirts to celebrate the 25th anniversary of "Seinfeld," before losing 18-2 on July 5. For more, **see page 2**. Photo by Steve Solomonson

# HISTORIC CHURCH TO CLOSE

## Prayer house of generals to be shut in September

BY MAX JAEGER

The Church of Generals is being decommissioned.

The congregation at St. John's Episcopal Church in Bay Ridge is decamping from the building where Robert E. Lee and Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson once worshipped and combining forces

with Christ Church, the priest-in-charge announced after services on June 29. A lay leader said the news was not exactly a shock.

"It's a difficult situation but by no means came as a surprise to anyone — realities being what they are these days with people

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# ANGELS IN THE 'SEINFELD'

## Fans of '90s TV show flock to MCU Park for a sitcom celebration

BY MAX JAEGER

Nice game, pretty boys!  
The Cyclones may have gotten destroyed by the Aberdeen Ironbirds on Saturday, losing 18-2, but fans still managed to win big with a "Salute to Seinfeld Night," coming from far and wide to celebrate the Mini-Mets and the 25th birthday of the "show about nothing."

"It was the greatest thing ever," said Jamie Sclafane, who traveled from New Jersey and won an "Elaine Dancing Contest."

The evening was a love letter to the show, said MCU Park spokesman Billy Harner. To mark the occasion, the park — renamed Vandalay Industries Park for the evening — pulled out all the stops, he said. Early-arriving fans were handed Keith Hernandez bobble head toys, batters warmed up in puffy pirate shirts, Frosted Flakes fanatics gorged on Jerry's go-to snack during a cereal-eating contest, and the Soup Nazi himself threw out one of 13 ceremonial first pitches.

"I loved the marble rye fishing contest," said Andi D'Angelo, who explained that teams tried to hook loaves on the field from the stadium balcony in homage to a bread-burgling ploy that Costanza and Seinfeld bungled in an episode called "The Rye."

The theme night is one of many in the Cyclone's schedule (see for instance the zombie brains-eating contest, facing page) but it stands out for fans who can't get enough of the hit '90s television show.

"I heard about it a month ago, so I immediately told my husband that we had to get tickets," D'Angelo said. "We showed up at 10 am and waited all day to get in."



**THE GAME ABOUT NOTHING:**  
(Clockwise from left) Actor Larry Thomas, who famously played The Soup Nazi, throws a first pitch. Jamie Sclafane, center joined by Andi D'Angelo and Heather Klose, took first place in the "Elaine Dancing" contest. Kenny "The Real Kramer" Kramer throws another first pitch. Fans gorge on cereal. Photos by Steve Solomonson



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**NOGGIN NOSH:** Richard Delgado of the Bronx binges on brains at a ghoulish eating contest in Coney Island on July 2.

Photo by Elizabeth Graham

# Gorging on gray matter

BY MAX JAEGER

Now that's brain food. Eight ghoulish gourmands competed in a zombie-themed brain-eating contest in Coney Island on July 2. Despite the major gross-factor, one contestant said the fare was fairly palatable — up until a point.

"The crunchy outside and the creaminess of the brain was good at first, but after a while you had to gag," said Richard Delgado.

Delgado came for the show, but organizers headhunted him when they needed another competitor, he said.

"They just dragged me out of the audience," said Delgado, who happens to have eaten brains on three other occasions. "I was kind of hungry at the time, too, so I was trying to figure out what to eat anyway."

Despite downing a pound of the boiled, battered, and fried gray matter, Delgado was not crowned the big cheese of

head cheese.

Molly Schulyer took home the coveted Femur of Doom trophy and \$200 after bolting down five and a half pounds of



**CRUSHING IT:** Molly Schulyer of Nebraska gorges her way to a win.

Photo by Elizabeth Graham

deep-fried calf brains in 10 minutes, organizers said.

The event was part of a larger zombie crawl, which included a party at Sideshows by the Seashore and a planned shuffle around the MCU Park bases that died after officials suspended the game on account of rain.

# The 'Jaws' of wife!

Wiener woofers Joey Chestnut proposes before dog-downing contest

BY NATHAN TEMPEY

Will you marry meat?

That was the question popped by hot-dog-eating legend Joey "Jaws" Chestnut on Friday when he proposed to girlfriend and fellow competitive eater Neslie Ricasa less than an hour before scarfing down 61 wieners and buns in 10 minutes to win his eighth straight Nathan's Famous Hot Dog Eating Contest in Coney Island.

Ricasa said "yes" and Chestnut beat out upstart and fellow Californian Matt "Megatoad" Stonie after breaking away in the final minute of a neck-and-neck competition. Chestnut said it would never have been close had it not been for the rain.

"I could never find my rhythm, so it was just a dog-fight the whole time," Chestnut told the television cameras after falling way short of last year's record of 69.

Stonie stalled in the closing moments, finishing at a mere 56 hot dogs and buns after matching Chestnut frank for frank for most of nine minutes.

Audience members who braved the rain to watch the gladiatorial gluttony cheered the feats, though one got ill thinking of having to foot the bill for Chestnut's intake.

"I'm just glad I don't have to take him to lunch," said Frank Concerto, a Chestnut fan.

Others in the crowd said there was nowhere more patriotic in the country to be.

"It's not much more American than that," said Dan Mills, who traveled from Washington, D.C. to see the scarf-off.

Chestnut's fiancée Ricasa downed just 10 dogs, trailing the pack in the women's division, which was rocked by an upset when Miki Sudo downed 34 dogs and buns to defending three-time champ Sonya "The Black Widow" Thomas's 27 and three-quarters.

The defeat must have been hard for Thomas to swallow after putting away a record 45 last year.

— with Vanessa Ogle



**HOT-DOG BREATH:** (Above) Joey "Jaws" Chestnut and his new fiancée Neslie Ricasa celebrate the beginning of their next great adventure. (Top right) When Ricasa snarfed down 10 hot dogs and buns in the women's event, little did she know they were an appetizer for the marriage proposal to come. (Bottom right) The soon-to-be Mrs. Chestnut shows off the ring the reigning world champ gave her minutes before re-securing his title. (Below) New female Nathan's-noshing champion Miki Sudo celebrates her upset win over three-time champ Sonya "The Black Widow" Thomas.

Photos by Paul Martinka







# Having a blast back in Brooklyn

**BY MATTHEW PERLMAN**  
It came back with a bang.

Brooklynites reclaimed their front-row seats for the Fourth of July fireworks show last Friday night, lining the waterfront and packing rooftops across the borough for a glimpse of bombs bursting in air over the East River for the first time in five years.

This year's show included a special centerpiece

— the Brooklyn Bridge — but the pyrotechnic barges were moved from between it and the Manhattan Bridge to the harbor-side of the city's most famous span due to concerns about a rip current, police said.

More than 40,000 elegant explosives were shot off for the occasion, from the barges and the bridge. It was the first time in 19 years that the Brooklyn Bridge has been a part of

the show, which Macy's first staged for the nation's bicentennial in 1976.

A special musical score created for the 25-minute show celebrated the 200th anniversary of "The Star-Spangled Banner." It included a rendition of the national anthem recorded by Idina Menzel, best known for singing the "Frozen" song "Let It Go," which was written by a couple of Park Slopers during a flight of

fancy in Prospect Park.

The show's return to the East River was long anticipated. The display decamped for the Hudson River in 2009 to celebrate the 400th anniversary of that distant river's discovery. Local pols pleaded with the retail giant and the city to bring it back to the borough with the strongest link to the Revolutionary War the following year, but were not heard until now.

**BOMBS BURST:** (Above and center) The Macy's July 4 fireworks show returned to the Brooklyn waterfront this year, on barges that lined the East River from the Manhattan Bridge down past the Brooklyn Heights Promenade. (Right) This year's show even included fireworks launched from the Brooklyn Bridge itself.

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# Toddler found dead in Prospect Park Lake

BY NOAH HUROWITZ

A family picnic in Prospect Park turned tragic on Saturday when a toddler drowned in the lake after disappearing with a cousin.

Police scuba divers found the body of Ruhshona Kurbonova, 2, in a wooded area of Prospect Park Lake on Saturday evening, ending a five-hour search, according to an NYPD spokeswoman.

The two children apparently strayed from the gathering and headed toward the

water, where a family strolling in the park found Kurbonova's 3-year-old cousin, cops stated. The older child was wet and covered in the green algae found on the edge of the lake near the boathouse, police said.

A 911 caller reported the other child missing around 1:10 pm, shortly after the cousin was found, police said. Officers fanned out across the greensward on foot and bicycle, and a police scuba-diving team be-

gan searching the lake. Divers found the 2-year-old's body at about 6:05 pm, police said, and the medical examiner's office determined she drowned, an office representative said.

Kurbonova's inconsolable mother, an immigrant from Uzbekistan, according to news reports, had to be carried off on a stretcher following the discovery. Kurbonova was the youngest of four, and the family's only girl, a relative told reporters.



**TRAGIC:** The mother of two-year-old Rushohona Kurbonova collapsed in grief when she found out that her daughter (right) was found dead on July 5. Photos by Paul Martinka



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## Tears and prayers for slain Israeli teens

BY VANESSA OGLE

About 300 people came to the memorial for three slain Israeli teenagers at the Ocean Avenue Jewish Center on July 2.

The teenagers, whose bodies were found last Monday, were the focus of several "bring back our boys" events around Brooklyn while they were considered missing — including a rally at Sheepshead Bay's Holocaust Memorial Park and in Midwood at J. Reznik Studios, where community members painted a wall that has since become a memorial.

At Wednesday's memorial, the synagogue placed candles behind name cards for the teenagers — Eyal Yifrach, Naftali Fraenkel, and Gilad Shaer — which will burn for a week, the traditional Jewish mourning period.

"The synagogue is keeping these candles lit for the entire week of Shiva," said Rabbi Melvin Burg, who spoke at the memorial.

The nearly hour-long program, filled with a variety of speakers, songs, and prayers, didn't end when the ceremony concluded. Attendees called Burg later that night to tell him how moved they were with the program, calling it a powerful experience.

"I was on the phone until 12:30 in the morning," said Burg.

The crowd included a variety of age groups and included people from outside the congregation.

"It was a totally mixed crowd — old, young," said Burg. "We felt this was an issue where all walks of Jewish lives came together to pray for these children."



**MOURNING:** Members of the synagogue's congregation said a prayer for the three Israeli teenagers at a memorial service held at the Ocean Avenue Jewish Center on July 2.

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BAY RIDGE-DYKER HEIGHTS

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A brute with a blade stole a man's smartphone at knifepoint at the corner of Fourth Avenue and Bay Ridge Avenue on June 30.

The man was standing at the corner between 12:30 am and 12:45 am when the perp whipped out a knife and put it to the man's throat before slipping an LG L9 phone from the victim's pocket, police said.

**Gadget grabber**

A burglar stole \$4,000 worth of gizmos from a car parked on 71st Street sometime between June 28 and June 30.

The owner of a 2013 Subaru parked his ride between 13th and 14th avenues in Dyker Heights at 7:30 am that Saturday.

When he returned at 9 am on Monday, he found his thermal imaging camera, moisture meter, thermal hydrometer, floor meter, digital measurer, and three pairs of sunglasses had been taken by a passerby.

**Purse pinched**

A thief swiped a purse from a parked car on Fourth Avenue on June 30.

The victim parked her vehicle near 99th Street in Bay Ridge at 11:30 am, and when she came back at 1:30 pm, she realized someone had taken her Coach purse, a ring, a hard drive, \$500, and her credit card, police said.

The total value of the stolen goods was estimated at \$1,315, reports state.

**Saws swiped**

A burglar broke into an 82nd Street residence and stole \$3,293 worth of power tools sometime between June 28 and June 30.

The victim left the building, which sits between 11th and 12th Avenues in Dyker Heights, at 1:30 pm that Saturday, but when he came back at 8 am the following Monday, he found that someone had entered through the basement and made off with the tools, law enforcement sources said.

**62ND PRECINCT**

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**Mother and son**

Police arrested a 25-year-old man for beating up his 64-year-old mother in their Bay 19th Street home on July 6.

The victim told cops the two became embroiled in an argument in the home between Cropsey Avenue and Shore Parkway at 3:20 pm.

Reports state the suspect grabbed his mother by the throat, threw her to the ground, and kicked her in the stomach.

**POLICE  
BLOTTER****Cops seek man  
for phone theft**

BY MAX JAEGER

Police are searching for a man who snatched a strap-hanger's cellphone on June 8. The victim was waiting for an R Train on the platform of the line's Bay Ridge Avenue station at 12:30 am Sunday morning when the perp ran up and helped himself to the victim's iPhone before fleeing the station to parts unknown, police sources said.

Cops released a surveillance-camera photo of the suspect, described as a black male age 18-21, standing between 5-feet-11 and 6-feet-2, and weighing between 160 and 180 pounds. He was last seen wearing a blue T-shirt and blue sweatpants with a white stripe on the leg.

Anyone with information is asked to call Crime Stoppers at 1 (800) 555-TIPS



**PHONE FIEND:** This man is wanted in connection with a phone snatching on the platform of the R train's Bay Ridge Avenue station just after noon on June 8.

NYPD

(8477). The public can also submit tips by logging onto the Crime Stoppers website at [www.nypdcrimestoppers.com](http://www.nypdcrimestoppers.com) or by texting tips to 274637 and entering TIP577. All messages are confidential.

**Honeymoon is over**

A man who had been living with his girlfriend for a week broke her phone and punched her in the face during an argument at their Bay 17th Street apartment on July 2, according to police.

The two were in their apartment between Cropsey Avenue and Shore Parkway at 6:30 pm when the man shattered his sweetheart's cellphone by taking it from her and throwing it to the ground, police said.

He left in a fit, but came back through the victim's bedroom window, locked the door, and socked her in the kisser when she tried to leave, reports state.

**Swipe happy**

A lock-picking larcenist broke into an 18th Avenue residence and stole jewelry, electronics, and \$2,500 in cash on July 1.

The burglar broke into the home between 72nd and 73rd streets in Bensonhurst at 10:30 am and grabbed the goods before the resident came home later that day, police said.

The victim told police that he only locked the front door knob, which could be easily opened with the swipe of a credit card, reports state, leaving the home easily accessible.

**Telephone tag team**

Two bullies put a teen in a headlock and stole his phone while he was sitting in a park at the corner of 71st Street and New Utrecht Avenue on July 1.

The teen told cops he was minding his own business at 2:23 pm when one goon put him in a headlock and the other grabbed for his phone.

The second tough guy threatened to hit the victim if he didn't loosen his grasp, police said.

The pair pried the phone from their victim and fled onto a Manhattan-bound D Train at 71st Street and New Utrecht Avenue, reports state. — Max Jaeger

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Cops cuffed a man who they say slapped his female companion in a Flatbush Avenue apartment and stole some of her valuables on July 4.

The victim told cops she was in the pad near Avenue I at 2:30 am when the guy attacked her and stole her cellphone, driver's license, wallet, and Macy's credit card.

The victim had no visible injuries but the friend-turned-foe was arrested, according to a police report.

**Crazy crook**

A mysterious motor vehicle burglar broke into a car parked on Utica Avenue on July 4 — and stole some pretty bulky souvenirs.

The perp took a navigation system, an air bag, and the seats from the vehicle left between Avenues N and O at 11 pm, then disappeared into the night with the loot.

**Window-breaking brute**

A vandal broke a window of a car parked on Utica Avenue on July 5, but didn't take a thing.

The vehicle was sitting between Avenues K and L at 1 am when the menace shattered the glass.

**Tire slashers**

Police arrested four men who they say slashed two tires of a luxury car on Utica Avenue on July 5.

The male perps went after the front tires of a 2008 Mercedes Benz parked between Fillmore and Flatbush avenues at 3 am, according to a police report.

**Stolen goods**

A thug jacked some electronics after breaking into a car parked on E. 48th Street on July 5 by smashing a window.

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# Kids tee off in Marine Park

BY VANESSA OGLE

Kids ages 6 to 16 attended the free sports summer program at Marine Park on Avenue S and E. 32nd Street. Part of a citywide program sponsored by the City Parks Foundation, the program —

with sessions available for golfers of all skill levels — runs until August and gives kids a chance to get active and feel good.

“She liked feeling accomplished when it went into the hole,” said Sara

Evenhar, whose 6-year-old daughter Eliette sent a golf ball soaring into the cup.

Golf Instructor Steve Schreiber, who has played golf since he was 10 years old, said it’s a great game

for all ages.

“It’s a game you can play from your childhood until your old age,” said Schreiber.

And kids don’t have to worry about bringing their own equipment — it’s provided.

The program includes more than 60 parks throughout New York City and also features tennis and track and field in some locations.

*CityParks Golf at Marine Park (Avenue S and E. 32nd Street, [www.cityparksfoundation.org/sports/register](http://www.cityparksfoundation.org/sports/register)). July 1 to July 25 and from July 28 to Aug. 22. Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:30–10:30 am (6 to 8 years), 10:30 am–noon (9 to 16 years).*

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**PUTTING LIKE PROS:** (Left) Eliette Evenhar was all smiles at the City Parks Foundation’s free golf lessons at Marine Park on July 3. The classes will be offered all summer at Avenue S and E. 32nd Street. (Center) Golf Instructor Steve Schreiber helps Evenhar with her swing. (Right) Jamell Allen tees off.

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# Enjoy your summertime tomorrow—treat your allergies today

BY JACK RYAN

This probably won't come as a surprise to many, but the heavy rains of April not only brought May flowers, they are also making life miserable for people who suffer from allergies.

"Fortunately you don't have to resign yourself to living with summer days marred by watery eyes, sinus congestion, runny nose, sneezing, coughing, headaches, and itchy skin," says Brooklyn's Dr. Zhanna Tsukerman.

"Yes, this allergy season has been particularly bad because of record rainfall," says the physician, who treats all types of allergies in her Brooklyn office. "Right now the problem is coming mainly from the trees. The pollen season starts in April. It continues to build until it peaks in late May or early June, when the buds die

from heat or lack of rain." Afterwards, she says, "the allergens will come from a variety of plants and weeds, especially in an urban area like Brooklyn."

People may also be allergic to dust and mold inside their homes, which alone can make their lives miserable. However, the solution to your woes is within reach. "The good news is that the allergies are almost always treatable," she says.

But before the problem can be managed, Dr. Tsukerman needs to determine exactly what the patient is allergic to.

"This can be done through skin tests. In a majority of cases I'll have results in 15 minutes or less," she says. "After that, I create a customized serum right here in my office that will allow the patient to develop the antibodies that will help him or her

fight off the effects of the allergy. It's like a small vaccination."

Dr. Tsukerman says she has repeatedly helped patients "who had resigned themselves to living their lives with allergies."

Once the serum is prepared, the patients return for weekly shots until they develop the necessary antibodies.

Dr. Tsukerman says this approach has been 80 percent successful. And, she says, most insurance plans cover the allergy treatments she offers. That sounds a lot better than relying on a constant supply of expensive over-the-counter remedies that treat the symptoms of allergies and not the causes.

The doctor said that since she opened her office on Ocean Parkway, she has been getting a great deal of positive feedback from her many faithful patients.



Dr. Zhanna Tsukerman

"It seems like everybody has allergies right now. Fortunately, I can help them. I'm happy once my patients feel better," she says.

In her Brooklyn office, Dr. Tsukerman combines a commitment to old-fashioned customer service with the very lat-

est in medical technology. Her guiding philosophy is "patient first." She wants to help her patients "self-heal." According to Dr. Tsukerman, her job is not only to diagnose the problem. Rather than focusing on symptoms, her goal is to work with the patient first to find the source of the illness.

Dr. Tsukerman is now one of the few doctors in the area who have been trained to use Botox injections to treat some very difficult medical conditions.

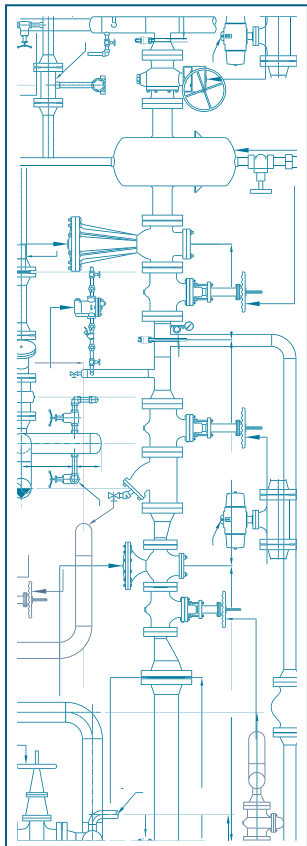
"Botox (onabotulinumtoxin A) is no longer used solely for cosmetic purposes," she says. For example, she has successfully used Botox to treat chronic migraine headaches. The medicine can be injected into patients 18 years or older who have headaches lasting four or more hours for 15 days each month, es-

pecially when traditional and more expensive medications have failed.

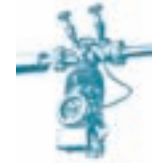
She has also used Botox to treat hyperhidrosis, a condition in which patients have severe underarm sweating that cannot be effectively dealt with by antiperspirants. Botox is now also used in treating bladder problems as well as neck pain and muscle spasms.

Dr. Tsukerman's online ratings on Yelp and other websites indicate that her patients are more than satisfied with the attentive care they have come to expect.

*Dr. Zhanna Tsukerman [514 Ocean Pkwy., between Ditmas Avenue and E. 18th Avenue in Brooklyn, (718) 484-7040, www.doctortsukerman.com]. Monday noon-4 pm; Wednesday 9 am-1 pm; Friday 9 am-1 pm, and Sunday 9 am-1 pm.*



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# ARREST IN FATAL HIT-AND-RUN

BY VANESSA OGLE

The driver who mowed down a family in Flatlands last Wednesday afternoon, killing a 12-year-old girl and leaving her mother and 9-year-old sister in critical condition, turned himself in just hours after authorities released his picture to the media, according to police.

Police say Robert Decarlo of Gravesend was driving a stolen Dodge Caravan on Flatlands Avenue towards Canarsie when he jumped the curb and struck the family between 46th Street and Schenectady Avenue at 4:42 pm July 2.

He then allegedly fled the scene of the crime on foot, leaving the wrecked van perched on a fire hydrant.

The three victims were rushed to Kings County Hospital Center, where 12-year-old Joey Sellers died during the night, and her mother and sister remain in critical condition.

Police identified Decarlo as the alleged driver the next day and released a photo of the 26-year-old suspect, asking the public to help track him down.

A few hours later, Decarlo walked into the 62nd Precinct station house in

Bath Beach and surrendered.

"He turned himself in," a police spokesman said.

Decarlo already has a long rap sheet — including assault, robbery, and criminal possession of stolen property — according to the District Attorney's Office. Charges from the July 2 incident include manslaughter, criminally negligent homicide, leaving the scene of a fatal accident, grand larceny, reckless endangerment, speeding, and running a red light.

Decarlo's attorney did not return a call for comment.



**CARNAGE:** Police say Robert Decarlo (inset) plowed this stolen van into a family in Flatlands on July 2, killing a 12-year-old girl, then fled the scene on foot. Decarlo turned himself in the next day, shortly after cops named him as a suspect and released his picture to the media.

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## Good Fortune Adult Social Day Care giving caregivers a break

BY TIPPY FELZENSTEIN

I was in denial, and convinced myself that my mother only forgot a few things, and if only she ate right, or was approached the correctly, she would be fine. That was what I wanted to believe and that was what I convinced myself was the truth.

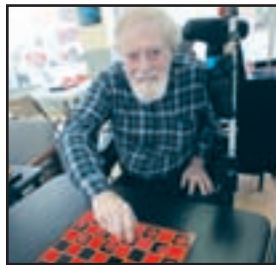
Her doctor said she was suffering from severe dementia, but I couldn't possibly believe him. What did he know, I thought, he doesn't know my mother. No, it was not true, she only needed some love and tender care and she would be fine.

But, ultimately, I reached a point where denial was no longer working and I had to face the fact that she would need care. Being alone was not an option. I had to face the fact that if I was to assure that she had the best quality of life possible, it would have to be with the care of the right people, and the right places.

The concept of a senior day care center is foreign to many. Why would a senior need a day



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(From left to right) Good Fortune Adult Social Daycare Center on Nostrand Avenue offers caregivers a break. Serge enjoys some checkers.

care center, and which day care center would be the best for the person that you love?

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centers I had visited. It is that I spoke to other people who participated that made me realize that they, too, were benefiting from the same wonderful service I was receiving.

Before Good Fortune center I tried different places, and different approaches, and for some reason, not one of them worked for my mother. She would always get upset and demand that I quickly get her out of there and never return again. When I stayed with her, I understood her feeling that these centers just didn't care. They just didn't have the time needed, and they

just were not the type of professionals that I could trust with taking care of my mother.

Just when I was about to walk away and give up, my sister called and asked me if I heard of a senior day care center called "Good Fortune." I didn't! But, it was worth a try before I gave up forever, so pessimistically we drove down to the center to see what it would bring.

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and loving staff that was genuine and cared enough to assure my mother's safety.

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I found a place that I can walk away from knowing she is in good hands. I knew that when I walked out the door she would be taken care of, she would be nurtured, and she would never be ignored and left to her own dementia. I was also confident that when I returned, she would be happy to see me, but not desperate to run away. As a matter of fact, she would be comfortably sitting and enjoying the activity at hand.

But I was not the only one who experienced that pleasure. When I spoke to some of the other participants I found that they too have been through a similar journey and were so happy to finally find a place that made their loved ones smile.

Betty Escudero was the one taking care of her brother Bolivor Escudero, who was in need of a safe place to play. Betty never found a place that gave her the comfort that she

could walk away. That was until she found Good Fortune Senior Day Care Center, and suddenly, her brother smiled again. From the first day, her brother was ready, willing, and able to go to the center every morning after she served him breakfast. Her brother was finally happy, and smiling.

If you need a place for mom or dad and you want to know they're safe and happy, check out Good Fortune. You will find the place that is good for all of you.

*Tippy Felzenstein has been bringing her mother to Good Fortune center ever since the day she found it. Her mother is thriving and doing great being nurtured by the professional and caring staff. She is available for references upon request.*

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Replacement of Shore (Belt) Parkway Bridge Over Mill Basin  
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Contract No. **HBK 1023**  
Federal Aid Project No. **X021(523)**  
N.Y.S.P.I.N. **X021.52**  
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The New York City Department of Transportation (NYCDOT) is undertaking a project to replace the Shore (Belt) Parkway Bridge over Mill Basin in Brooklyn. The Mill Basin Bridge is a bridge over water and is located over and immediately adjacent to tidal and freshwater wetlands. Reconstruction of the Mill Basin Bridge would result in unavoidable impacts to wetland resources. Per Executive Order 11990, wetland finding and wetland evaluation reports were prepared that documented the basis for a determination that there is no feasible and prudent alternative to impacts to wetlands and that all practical measures to minimize harm to wetlands have been included.

The proposed project would result in a total of 0.4185 acres of permanent impacts and 0.1091 acres of temporary impacts to tidal wetlands due to the proposed project. However, as a result of the removal of the existing bridge, the proposed project would gain 0.2730 acres of tidal wetlands that are currently shaded.

The proposed project would result in a total of 1.6869 acres of freshwater wetland impacts. Of the total impacted area, 0.7633 acres would be permanent impacts and 0.9236 acres would be temporary impacts to freshwater wetlands.

All impacts to wetlands shall be mitigated in accordance with Federal and State regulations. Tidal wetland restoration and improvement projects have been performed at Jamaica Bay sites within the Gateway National Recreation Area to mitigate the tidal wetland impacts from this project. A freshwater wetland restoration and improvement project is planned at a site in Marine Park, fronting Avenue U, approximately between East 34th and East 36th Streets, just east of the Marine Park Salt Marsh Nature Center, which will mitigate this project's freshwater wetland impacts.

NYCDOT is seeking public review and comment relative to the Executive Order 11990 wetland finding that there is no feasible and prudent alternative to impacts to wetlands and that all practical measures to minimize harm to wetlands have been included. Any comments from the interested public should be submitted in writing to the Project Manager indicated below. Deadline for submitting written comments is **Monday, August 11, 2014**.

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## Performers fly high for youngsters

BY DANIELLE FURFARO

A group of artists showed Bushwick kids you don't have to run away to join the circus by way of a park performance on Tuesday.

The troupe Hybrid Movement Company put on the free midday show in Maria Hernandez Park as part of the City Parks Foundations' Summerstage series. The act was meant to motivate

youngsters to pursue their dreams, an organizer said.

"Our goal in this performance was to inspire the kids and make sure they are not scared to challenge themselves," said Hybrid Movement manager Joanna Duncan. "We want them to know that art changes people and people change the world."

The performance featured aerial acrobatics,

classical ballet, breakdancing, and gymnastics.

The Summerstage series is meant to bring the arts to youth who do not have access to them, said City Parks Foundation programming assistant Chris Saddler, claiming that the Bushwick gallery scene does not have a trickle-down effect for area youngsters.

"Bushwick is a hot area

right now, but the people who have recently gentrified Bushwick are not doing a lot of public performances for the kids," said Saddler. "This is a chance to show kids how much there is to New York City and that they can do anything they want to."

The free children's shows will continue around the city throughout the summer.

**MOVING PERFORMANCE:** (Above) Jillian St. Germain and Ziporah Roney, both of Hybrid Movement Company, show off their aerial skills to children at Maria Hernandez Park on July 8. (Center) St. Germain and Roney dance for the kids. (Right) They are joined by other members of the Hybrid Movement Company.

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# Church

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not attending church as much," said lay leader David Chicaguala. "We're excited and looking forward to the opportunities for ministry in Bay Ridge, and that's first and foremost in our minds."

The combined congregation will be able to support a full-time priest and a Sunday school, which neither church could do on its own, said priest-in-charge David Sibley, who has been working part-time jobs to support himself while leading his Bay Ridge flock. A yet-to-be-named interim priest will lead the combined congregation while it picks a more permanent priest, he said.

Soldiers from Fort Hamilton built the 180-year-old church on land donated by the Denyse family, a colonial Dutch clan that owned a ferry wharf in the 1700s. Robert E. Lee and Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson — U.S. soldiers who later went on to fame as generals in the Confederate army — attended the church when they were stationed at Fort Hamilton in the 1840s.

Changing demographics and a 1997 scandal involving a priest who sold cocaine from the vestry contributed to declining



**CHAPEL CHANGE-UP:** The congregation at St. John's Episcopal Church in Bay Ridge will leave its current home to join Christ Church Bay Ridge in September, but it is unclear what will happen to the land the church sits on.

Photo by Steve Solomonson

attendance, which exacerbated the church's financial woes in recent decades, said Sibley, who came to the church in 2011.

"Well over 30 years of deferred maintenance have led us to a point where well over \$1.5 million are urgently needed to secure our physical plant, even as our neighborhood changes around us, and fewer people now attend church on Sunday," he wrote to con-

gregants in a letter announcing the church's shuttering.

The Borough of Churches is changing as more houses of worship close and give way to residential development. But the Episcopal Diocese of Long Island said it does not have definite plans for the church land, according to a spokeswoman.

"As St. John's joins together with Christ Church, I will be consulting with the lay leaders of the new, joint congregation, and together we will explore the best stewardship and most appropriate disposition of the historic property that has been home to St. John's," said bishop Larry Provenzano, Episcopal bishop of Long Island.

The land is zoned for two-family homes.

If the church is leveled, the structure housing interred ashes will remain or be moved, Sibley said.

"No matter what happens to that building, the columbarium will be preserved," he said.

Locals are calling for the building to remain as a historic landmark.

"There's a lot of history there, it would be a shame if they didn't make some effort to keep the church," said Allison Grecker, whose daughter was baptized in the church in 1966.

# Stroll

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recent years, another organizer said.

"It very quickly has become an institution — even though it's only in its third year," said Robert Howe, president of Merchants of Third Avenue. "We have a higher level of merchant participation, and we have a heightened sense in the community looking forward to the Summer Stroll evenings."

For four Friday evenings each summer, portions of the avenue are transformed into a European-style pedestrian mall where locals and visitors can shop, dine, and take in some culture.

The avenue will be closed between 69th and 80th streets on July 18 and 25, and 80th and 90th streets for Aug. 8 and 15, but cars will still be able to cross the avenue at cross streets, Howe said.

Indeed, the prospect of car-less streets gives local merchants a run for their money as the top draw for attendees, he said.

"You can play in the middle of the street," Howe said. "People enjoy taking back their neighborhood."

*Doggie Talent Show (corner of 77th and Third Avenue, in Bay Ridge) July 18 at 6*



**SINGING IN THE RAIN:** Linda Detuch and her dog Lex braved the rain at last year's Summer Stroll to hear tunes from "Les Miserables." Maybe this year Lex can entertain folks with a song and dance routine.

Photo by Arthur De Gaeta

*pm. Summer Stroll (Third Avenue between 69th and 80th streets, in Bay Ridge) July 18 and 25, 6 pm. Free. (Third Avenue between 80th and 90th streets, in Bay Ridge) Aug. 8 and 15, 6 pm. Free. To register for the dog talent show, e-mail debracaopone@gmail.com.*

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# Dog abandoned in Mill Basin

## Residents are rallying to save sick terrier

BY VANESSA OGLE

An abandoned dog is melting hearts in Mill Basin with its puppy-dog eyes.

Customers at the Mill Basin Bagel Café found the adult Yorkshire terrier tied up outside the Avenue N eatery on June 27. The dog had no tags and was in sad condition — its matted fur spattered with urine and feces — so the noble nosers whisked the Yorkie across the street to the Mill Basin Veterinary Clinic.

There the matted muffin got a bath, a haircut and a check-up courtesy of Dr. Amy Lipnicki, a veterinarian at the clinic, who lamented that this poor pooch was the second abandoned pet she has seen in the neighborhood in the past few weeks.

“Some people just don’t go about it the right way,” said Lipnicki. “These poor little guys don’t deserve that.”

The check-up gave a clue as to why the dog may have been abandoned — Lipnicki discovered that the terrier needs surgery to remove a bladder stone, plus additional blood tests, and medication for a heart murmur.

Lipnicki dubbed the cuddly canine Aloisius and set up a page on the fund-raising site fundrazr.com to gather donations to cover the \$1,500 cost of his blood work, medications, and surgery.

Lipnicki also noted that Aloisius — described on the fund-raising page as an “intact male” — needs fixing in another way too, but she said that would be handled during the bladder surgery.

The Mill Basin Veterinary Clinic is offering dog lovers who donate \$50 or more a free nail trim and ear cleaning for their own pets.

After Aloisius has surgery, the sensitive sweetie will still need a special diet — something Lipnicki is



**CUDDLY CANINE:** Veterinarian Amy Lipnicki from the Mill Basin Veterinary Clinic cradles Aloisius, a Yorkshire terrier the clinic staff found abandoned outside by Mill Basin Bagel Cafe.

Photo by Steve Solomonson

taking into consideration. She’s is reaching out to a specialty dog food company in the hope of securing a small stockpile of food for the dog’s future parents.

Also, Lipnicki said that any money collected in excess of the \$1,500 needed for the immediate treatment will be set aside to help cover future medical costs to make life easier for Aloisius’s new family.

“It’s hard to take on an adult dog with a medical condition,” said Lipnicki.

Aloisius is downright elderly, in fact, estimated to be about 8-10 years old — or 56-70 in dog years — but Lipnicki hopes some family in the area will open their hearts to the tired terrier.

In the meantime, Aloisius is in foster care — show-

ing that years of apparent neglect haven’t dimmed the dog’s affection for people.

“He’s always right by your foot,” said his foster mother, Marquita Leys. “Whenever you turn around, there he is.”

Leys said Aloisius is actually quite well-socialized, and friendly with both kids and adults. And she said that even though Aloisius isn’t a puppy anymore, he still deserves lots of loving.

“Older dogs need love too,” said Leys.

*Donations for Aloisius can be made online at <https://fundrazr.com/campaigns/co3B8?psid%3D95fb0366cfbf4315b6c2d6f5c6d3209f>, or sent to the Mill Basin Veterinary Clinic, 6315 Avenue N, Brooklyn, NY 11234.*

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#### GETTING THE JOB DONE:

(Above) Several hundred people waited in a line that stretched completely around Kings Plaza during the July 8 job fair. (Right) Sandra Havertong, the district store director for Fashion to Figure, shakes hands with prospective employee Ngina Harris of Sheepshead Bay.

Photos by Steve Solomonson



# Recruits! Prepare to work!

## Thousands turn out for job fair at Kings Plaza

BY VANESSA OGLE

They came, they saw — and some conquered.

Thousands of eager applicants turned out for the job fair held at the Kings Plaza shopping center on July 8, along with more than 31 businesses looking to fill around 500 positions.

One employer was impressed with the candidates, and found the employees she wanted.

“I will be able to fill the positions I was looking for,” said Sandra Havertong, the district store director for Fashion to Figure, who was looking for employees for multiple businesses and locations. “They were better prepared this time — pens in hand, copies of resumes.”

The biannual job fair is held each October and July at the shopping center.

With more than 4,500 attendees, the lines to enter the job fair were long and winding.

“Getting inside was a long time,” said Ngina Harris of Sheepshead Bay, who made a few connections at the event.



**SARGE IN CHARGE:** Borough President Adams chats with United States Marine Corps Staff Sgt. Jamaal Medford, who was there recruiting.

Photo by Steve Solomonson

But once she was inside, Harris said the lines at the employers’ tables took only a few minutes — and it was well worth the wait once she realized the jobs weren’t dull.

“It wasn’t like they were boring jobs,” said Harris. “They were fun jobs.”

Though there weren’t

enough job openings for all the applicants at the moment, Havertong walked away with a full list of new employees — and a few extra resumes, just in case.

“It was a successful day,” said Havertong. “Not only am I keeping a list of people I want to take on immediately, I am keeping a list of people for the future.”

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## Mr. Vacuum’s expertise and service can’t be beat

BY CAMILLE SPERRAZZA

If you can remember when the sound of a vacuum used to scare the kids, you probably haven’t purchased a vacuum in a long time.

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“There aren’t too many places that do repairs, but we still do,” he says. It’s all fully guaranteed.

Come in and take a look



(Clockwise from left) Mr. Vacuum Owner Joseph Callegari knows his vacuums, and carries the latest brands. The store is a Brooklyn staple that has been in Bay Ridge for more than 30 years.



Photos by Steve Solomonson

at the latest models from brand names such as Hoover, Dyson, Eureka, Electrolux, Panasonic, and Kirby. Callegari may also introduce you to a few you may not be familiar with. He’s an authorized dealer for Miele vacuums,

and highly recommends it.

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ny’s website boasts that its “unique 12-stage AirClean filtration system retains over 99.9 percent of all fine particles from the air without releasing harmful particulates and allergens back into your home.”

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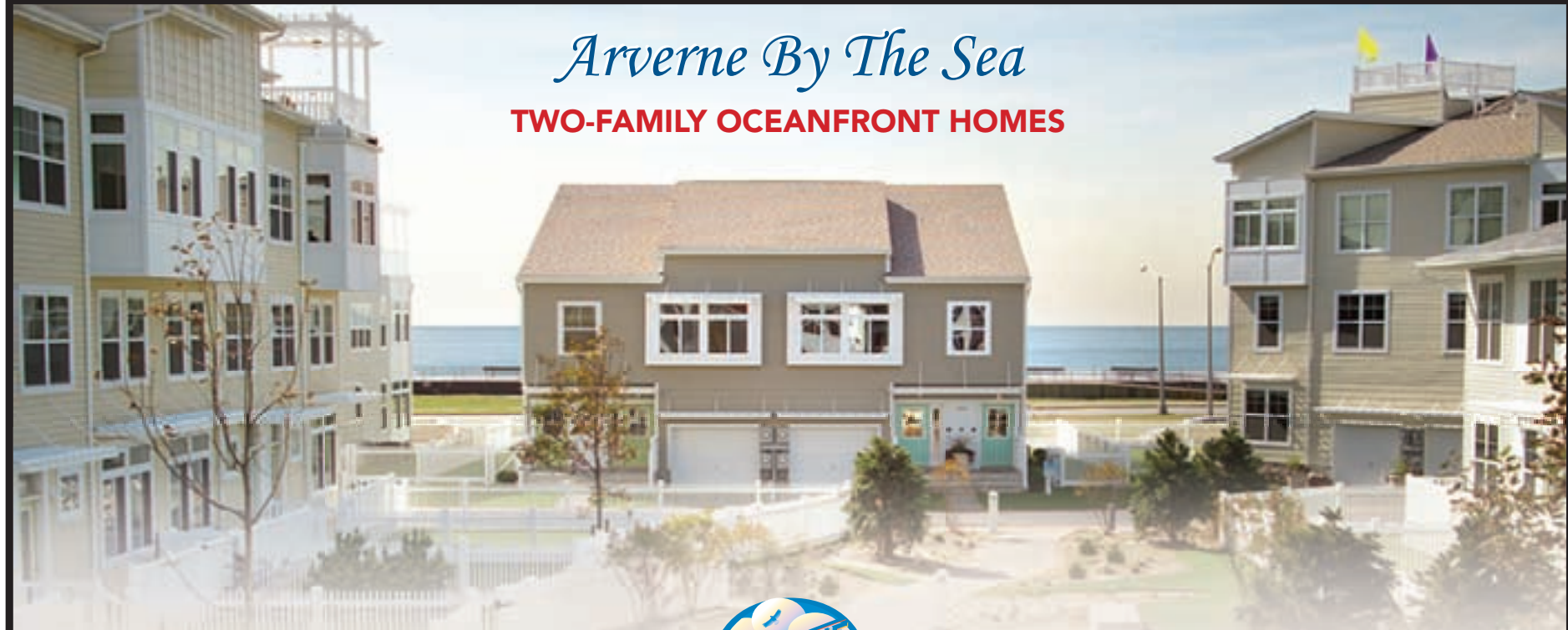
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# GARBAGE GOURMET

## Do-gooder foodies dine in Williamsburg dumpster

BY DANIELLE FURFARO

Industrial decoration and outdoor seating are all the rage in the restaurant world, so it was only a matter of time before someone decided to host a gourmet dinner inside a dumpster.

The six-course meal in Williamsburg, the foodie world's answer to dumpster diving, was organized on June 28 and 29 by a graduate student who charged eager gourmands \$50 a head for the privilege, as the website Pixable first reported. The dumpster dinner was meant to raise awareness about the amount of perfectly edible food that gets tossed every day, its organizer said.

"This was an interesting, boots-on-the-ground way to inspire people and engage them in a conversation about wasting food," said Joshua Treuhaft.

To drive the message home, the food on offer was made of ingredients that were bruised, stale, or overripe, donated by stores or bought at a deep discount.

The dumpster had previously been used for construction and not

household trash, but it was still far from pristine, so Treuhaft built a deck over the floor, he said.

The space inside the trash bin was narrow, so Treuhaft had to build a custom table. Naturally, he assembled it from salvaged wood.

Some diners were apprehensive about eating in a giant trash receptacle, but in the end they had a blast, one attendee said.

"Cars kept stopping to look at us, and one guy climbed through his sunroof to take a picture," said Bill Gordon, one of Treuhaft's professors at the School of Visual Arts. "It was truly a unique experience."

The menu included heirloom tomato gazpacho, carrot-green pesto on stale bread, and pickled kale stems.

The chef scrambled to come up with the menu because she did not know until a few days before the meal what the ingredients would be, she said. Treuhaft had the dumpster delivered to the street in front of her house so that she could prepare the six-course meal upstairs.

"There was no way we could

have done any prep or cooking inside that dumpster," said Celia Lam, who agreed to make the food in exchange for Treuhaft agreeing to donate the proceeds to the charity CulinaryCorps.

Since Treuhaft did not have a



Photo by Bill Gordon

**TOSSED SALAD:** (Left) Salvage Supperclub organizer Joshua Treuhaft sets up place settings for 16 inside a dumpster on S. Fourth Street in Williamsburg. (Right) Foodies feasted on salvaged dishes in the "repurposed" construction dumpster that still looks very much like a dumpster.



Photo by Josh Treuhaft

liquor license, he invited all of the diners up to Lam's apartment to enjoy a cocktail before the meal.

"While we were eating, some cops came by and told some people who were sitting nearby on their stoop what to do, so it is a good thing we were not drink-

ing," Gordon said.

The dinner was part of a series of one-off dinners called the Salvage Supperclub, which Treuhaft said are an extension of his thesis on city gardening and a campaign to reduce food waste.

"We want to get our guests to

stop being so snobbish and judgmental about the food they eat," he said.

This was the first dumpster dinner and Treuhaft said it may be the last.

"It is a lot of work doing it inside a dumpster," he said.



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# Whisker and reward

## B'hurst company shaves beards, grows biz

BY MAX JAEGER

A Bensonhurst business is bringing back a lost art.

The New York Shaving Company makes hand-blended shaving soaps and colognes, classic safety razors, and high-end lather brushes from a storefront on 20th Avenue in Bensonhurst and operates two shave parlors in Manhattan. Despite the parlors' location across the river, the service is totally Old Brooklyn, according to one of the company's founders.

"It goes back to the days that dapper guys sought out a close shave in a more masculine environment," said John Scala.

Scala and his wife started the company in 2008 on a wing and a prayer.

"We sold my engagement ring for the last \$10,000 to open," said Kim Scala. "I did it because I knew this was his life-long dream."

Six years later, the company has three stores, employs about 10 people, and is getting some tall orders.

In a major first for the business, mail-order grooming-goods supplier Birchbox placed an order for 5,000 shaving kits that the husband-and-wife team just filled on July 2, Kim said.

"It's really exciting, we've never been in a program like that," she said.

The company started out of the couple's Bensonhurst home, but they quickly found they needed a dedicated space, so they leased a corner shop on 20th Avenue



**GROWING IT OUT:** (Above) John and Kim Scala started the New York Shaving Company from their home in Bensonhurst — now they have a shop and factory in the neighborhood and two shaving parlors in Manhattan where they sell their high-end wares (right).

Photos by Elizabeth Graham



and 73rd Street down the street from their home.

Now the pair owns two parlors in Manhattan that offer tonsorial services — a fancy word for an even fancier shave — as well as shaving instruction and razor sharpening. With decor that looks like it was lifted from the set of HBO's "Boardwalk Empire" and barbers who look like they might be named Sal or Mack, these parlors are the real deal. And the guy shearing your

stubble is guaranteed to be a master barber — a designation only attainable after 1,500 hours of school and an 18-month apprenticeship — and John said he only hires masters with at least a decade of experience.

"It's a 200-year-old craft — its something that you cant pick up over night," he said.

The company may even open a parlor on Brooklyn's trendy shores — most likely in Park Slope.

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# Lock fad spreads to other bridges

## Lovers tossing keys further up East River

BY MATTHEW PERLMAN

Spread love, it's the Brooklyn Bridge way.

The Brooklyn Bridge is still the global destination for lovebirds to leave so-called "love locks" as a memento of their visit, but a handful of lost, adventurous, or otherwise ahead-of-the-curve romantics have brought the custom to the utilitarian Manhattan and Williamsburg bridges. The Department of Transportation has declared war on the fasteners lining the more iconic of the two spans, lopping 4,000 of them off the structures along the footpath last month and claiming that they posed a hazard to drivers below, but people out strolling on the Manhattan Bridge in recent weeks said the practice is all in good fun.

"It's not hurting anyone, so let them do it," said Steve Warren, of Bedford-Stuyvesant who was photographing his adult son riding a bike on the bridge. "It's just like graffiti. It's art."

A tourist out for a stroll on the less-inviting span, where B and Q trains run noisily alongside the chain-link-wrapped walkway, concurred.

"I think it's awesome. It looks like art when there's a lot of them," said Flo Hausler of Zurich, noting that he has seen the metal mementos in Switzerland, too. "It's like street art."

A tourism expert said the impulse driving the lock craze is as old as time.

"At the heart of this, and similar gestures, is our human desire to be remembered, to leave our mark someplace to say, 'I've been here,'" said Ann Carden, a professor of public relations at the State University of New York at Fredonia, whose research focuses on heritage tourism. "It's the same reason we carve initials in trees or fresh ce-



**TOGETHER FOREVER:** Whatever becomes of Scott and Orlando's relationship, this memento of it will stay on the Williamsburg Bridge — at least until transportation department workers clip it.

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ment — it's a sense of permanency."

To be sure, the Manhattan and Williamsburg bridges have not reached the epidemic proportions they have on the neighboring bridge — only 10 hung from each bridge during recent visits — apparently owing to the Brooklyn Bridge's superlative status as a tourist attraction.

The locks are also cropping up in the shadows of the Brooklyn and Manhattan bridges on the railings at Fulton Ferry Landing.

A glut of love locks recently caused the footbridge in Paris that is often credited with popularizing the still-spreading custom, the Pont des Arts, to be evacuated after a section of railing collapsed under their weight.

That does not seem to be a danger yet on the upper spans, and Warren's son said roads honchos

shouldn't lose sleep over it.

"The city's always wasting time and our money on things that don't need to be changed," Varian Gatewood said.

The Department of Transportation did not respond to a request for comment about the growth of the phenomenon, but a previous statement makes it clear that the Manhattan and Williamsburg Bridge locks could find themselves in the crosshairs.

"As part of DOT's regular bridge cleaning and maintenance operations, crews inspect bridges across the city and will remove debris or other items left there," a spokeswoman said last month.

Warren has an idea he thinks could make everyone happy.

"Just dedicate a piece of the bridge where people are allowed to do it," he said.

— with Hannah Frishberg





**COLORFUL WORLD:** (Above) This participant in the June 6 Color Run at Aviator Sports and Events Center came out looking like a refugee from the Blue Man Group. (Center) These multicolored maidens had a bit more variety. (Right) These two purple participants showed some solid teamwork on the course.

Photos by Steven Schnibbe



## Well, these colors *DO* run!

BY VANESSA OGLE

Sweat the rainbow!

The Color Run at the Aviator Sports and Events Center on July 5 and 6 brightened the day with splashes of red, orange, yellow, green, blue and purple. The three-mile run was for

all fitness levels and the focus of the run was participants having a good time, even if they didn't clock in with a good one.

"I don't even know how quick we did it," said first-timer Victoria Aravena, who came with a friend.

The run was a mix of racers of different ages and different outfits. But it was after the run that the crowd really went crazy, throwing the color packets they got at the finish line and dancing to some tunes.

"The whole point that

made it fun was afterwards with the DJ," said Aravena. "Everyone was going crazy with the colors."

There was also a giveaway — and Aravena won a coffee maker that will keep her energized for her next run.

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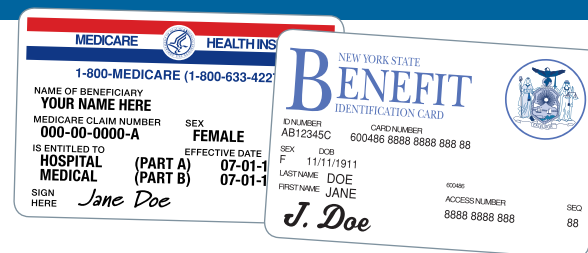
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**FALSE ALARM:** Amy Graves rides in a rescue dinghy after a park-goer called 911 on her swimming after she swam to an island in Prospect Park Lake to rescue her dog. Photo by Paul Martinka

## Dogged rescue in P'Park

BY NOAH HUROWITZ

A Prospect Park pooch caused an ocean of trouble for his owner last Thursday morning when, chasing a duck, he prompted her to jump into the park's lake, necessitating an aquatic rescue.

Amy Graves was walking her dog Benji, a pit bull mix, in the Peninsula area of the park during a designated leash-free time, when Benji spied a family of ducks. The pooch took off like a shot and chased the birds into the lake, suddenly uninhibited by his usual aqua-phobia.

"He's never gone for ducks before, and he usually hates water," said Graves, who lives in nearby Windsor Terrace. "Pit bulls are hunters, though, and he was just being totally relentless."

Graves did her best to

convince the dog to return to shore, but he merrily continued his pursuit, a witness said.

"The lady was calling the dog, but he was chasing the ducks all over," said Paulette Davis, who was walking in the park with her son and saw the commotion. "I think she was going home, but the dog didn't want to go home."

Graves decided her only recourse was to jump in after the dog.

Graves can swim, but she said she's no expert, and her waterlogged sneakers began to weigh her down.

Mistaking her flailing for that of a drowning victim, Davis called 911, at 8:09 am, according to fire officials.

Meanwhile, in the water, Graves finally caught up with Benji on Duck Island.

No longer far from land,

she was hoping to slink quietly back to shore and escape embarrassment, but Davis's good Samaritanism kept that from happening.

"I heard sirens, and when I crossed the island I saw so many fire trucks and cops, and they were all looking for me," she said.



Emergency medical personnel launched a small motor boat and steered it to the island, where they scooped up a bedraggled Graves and her mischievous pet.

Graves appreciated the help, but she said the real hero of the day was the mother duck, who never flew off and defended her babies from a bloodthirsty Benji.

"She kept herself between them the whole time, flapping her wings at him instead of flying off," Graves said. "She was a really heroic duck."

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## New harbor seal at Aquarium

BY VANESSA OGLE

A harbor seal pup is making a big splash in Coney Island.

The pup, born in late-May at the Wildlife Conservation Society's New York Aquarium, is only the second seal born at the aquarium in the past 15 years — and he is already showing his personality.

"He has already made an impression on visitors and staff," said Jon Forrest Dohlin, the vice president of the Wildlife Conservation Society.

The seal, which has yet to be named, will live in the Sea Cliffs environ-



**SEALED AND DELIVERED:** New York Aquarium's newest harbor seal was born on May 27 and announced to the public on June 30, but is waiting on a name.

Photo by Julie Larsen Maher

ment with penguins, sea otters, sea lions, walrus, and other harbor seals,

and may help distract from the closed-off areas in the aquarium, which is still undergoing repairs from Hurricane Sandy and construction for its upcoming shark exhibit.

Dohlin said the pup is a delight to everyone who sees him at the aquarium as it continues its renovations.

"He is a delightful addition to the aquarium and a treat to everyone who comes through the facility while we work to recover from Hurricane Sandy and toward the opening of 'Ocean Wonders: Sharks,'" said Dohlin.



# Brooklyn Bridge rains granite down on pedestrians

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BY MATTHEW PERLMAN

Brooklyn Bridge is falling down.

A group of people who, according to reports, huddled under the bridge seeking shelter from a torrential downpour last Wednesday night got a rude surprise when they were hit with a hail of

granite bricks from a bridge-support wall that collapsed during the rainstorm, according to fire officials. The collapse at Prospect and Washington streets injured three kids and two adults, according to the Fire Department.

Fire personnel got the call at 7:41 pm and para-

medics rushed the battered victims to Bellevue Hospital Center in Manhattan to be treated for minor injuries, according to an FDNY rep.

It is unclear what caused the collapse, but federal records analyzed by the Associated Press indicate that the bridge is among those most in need of repair in the nation.

The iconic span has been undergoing major

renovations for the last four years as part of a project that the Department of Transportation expects to wrap up in 2015.

The scope of that work does not seem to encompass the section of wall that crumbled.

The support behind the wall is structurally sound, but an inspection of the bridge is ongoing, a transportation department rep said.



**CRUMBLING:** Department of Transportation officials have inspected the section of the bridge, and say it is safe. Photo by Stefano Giovannini



**WALL FALL:** The granite facade covering this section of wall underneath the Brooklyn Bridge collapsed onto the sidewalk the night of July 2, injuring three kids and two adults who were reportedly taking shelter under the bridge and waiting for last Wednesday's torrential downpour to subside. Photo by Stefano Giovannini

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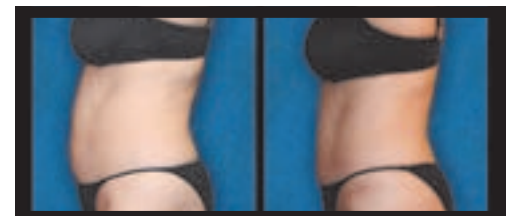


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# Spend a day in Paris with pastries, breads at Petite Fleury Bakery

BY CAMILLE SPERRAZZA

Say *oui oui* to the scrumptious croissants and breads at Petite Fleury Bakery, which bring a bit of Paris to Brooklyn.

And to paraphrase Marie-Antoinette, "Let them eat cake," too. Maybe some cinnamon streusel or raspberry swirl. *Ooh la la!*

Open in December, this quaint shop is recognizable by its striped awning, reminiscent of the bakeries found in France, deliberately designed that way so that Brooklynites experience the cuisine and the atmosphere.

Revel in baguettes — long loaves of traditional French bread that are crusty on the outside and soft on the inside. These are baked fresh twice a day—in the morning and then again in the afternoon. You'll also find pain de mie — a classic soft-crust sandwich loaf, and sourdough bread. All are exceptionally tasty because the owner, Laurie Williams-



(From left) Laurie Williams-Fleury brings a bit of Paris to Brooklyn with fresh breads and pastries at Petite Fleury Bakery. The shop in Old Mill Basin is even designed to look like a Parisian patisserie. Rolls and chocolate-chip cookies on display. Photos by Alexa Telano

Fleury, has found a way to develop deeper flavors by utilizing pre-ferments and a long, slow fermentation process.

"This promotes the keeping quality of our breads without the use of preservatives or additives," she says. "Organic ingredients are used whenever possible, too."

A variety of pastries, muffins, and turnovers are sold

daily. And, *merci!* No more looking longingly at a huge cake, then denying yourself because you don't want to buy the whole thing. Here, cheesecake and other cakes, such as a tempting French apple drizzled with caramel sauce, are sold by the slice. You really can have your cake and eat it, too.

Williams-Fleury is a

trained professional, a member of the Bread Baker's Guild for about 20 years, and a graduate of the International Culinary School. Opening a bakery is the fulfillment of a lifelong dream. While she was always passionate about baked goods, the shop is her second career. She was an executive in the fashion industry, a field in which she was

happy for a long time. There, she noticed that other executives would occasionally leave to pursue their passions.

"I had a boss who always wanted to write children's books," she says. "He inspired me, and showed me it was possible to build a second career."

Eventually Williams-Fleury decided she was ready to stir the batter of life, and

bring a high-caliber bakery to the borough. For years, she had shopped at Farmer's Markets or traveled to Manhattan to buy the quality of food she wanted for herself and her family. She holds these same high standards to everything she serves at Petite Fleury Bakery.

Originally from Chicago, she moved to Brooklyn in 1989, and resides in Old Mill Basin, not far from the store. Both she and her husband are very involved in the community, and are particularly supportive of local churches such as Our Lady of Miracles, New Hope Church, and Mary Queen of Heaven. Whatever bread is not sold at the shop is donated to churches that feed the hungry, she says.

*Petite Fleury Bakery LLC (4630 Flatlands Ave. between E. 46th Street and Schenectady Avenue in Old Mill Basin, www.PetiteFleuryBakery.com). Open Mondays through Saturdays, 7 am–6 pm.*

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# Summer shootings and stop-and-frisk

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A savvy political friend recently described to me in a very simple, glib way why shootings generally go up in the summer and stay low in the winter.

“People start hanging out outside when the weather gets warm, they have a couple of drinks and then if someone pisses someone off it can lead to a shooting in certain neighborhoods,” he said. “In the winter, everyone’s inside, so this kind of thing rarely happens.”

Well, it is not quite that simple but, yes, shootings do generally spike during the summer, and this summer, so far, they are up more than 10 percent from last year.

This past weekend there were 12 shootings in the city. This alarming trend has led some to question whether this is because of the new administration and the steep decrease in stop-and-frisks. This line of thinking was inevitable, but it seems too early to discern a trend, and we should



## MAYORAL SPIN CYCLE

Tom Allon

all take a deep breath and calm down.

Stop-and-frisk was an extremely controversial policy that was used frequently during the Bloomberg administration. Police Commissioner Ray Kelly faced a lot of criticism during the mayoral campaign of 2013 that his department was unfairly profiling young black and Latino

men, who made up the vast majority of those stopped and frisked. There was even a controversial court case that was decided last summer — right near the end of the campaign — that sought to limit the police department’s ability to use stop-and-frisk as a crime tool.

While all this was going on, the number of stop-and-frisks dropped quite precipitously anyway and, still, the rate of major crimes continued its steep decline in 2013 as the waning days of the Bloomberg administration came to a close.

Mayor DeBlasio made a wise choice when he picked Bill Bratton to be police commissioner because of Bratton’s strong track record in not only reducing crime, but in smoothing relations between the police department and the community. He did this most famously in Los Angeles, and now Bratton has been working quietly and effectively to bring the NYPD into the post-stop-and-frisk era.

There has been much debate of late about whether we have enough police on the streets to keep New York the safest large city in America. When Mike Bloomberg took office in 2002, there were more than 35,000 police in the city, a number that dwindled to 31,000 by the end of his 12 years in office. It is a testament to Bloomberg and Commissioner Kelly that they were able to keep reducing crime and keep terrorists at bay with fewer resources. But during the mayoral campaign a few candidates vowed to increase the police force again.

In the recent budget negotiations, the Council, led by Melissa Mark-Viverito, pushed for adding 1,000 more police to the force, but surprisingly both DeBlasio and Bratton opposed this. The final compromise called for adding just 200 more police, a fiscally prudent move by DeBlasio, but perhaps one that will look short-sighted if crime and shootings continue to spike once the summer ends.

Last week, Commissioner Bratton announced that he was moving 400 senior desk personnel to patrol the streets for the summer as part of a “all hands on deck” initiative which was perhaps prompted by the recent rounds of high weekend violence.

Crime fighting in New York has become much more sophisticated in recent years, with even units created that use social media to infiltrate gangs to reduce violence, which accounts for a high percentage of violent crime in the city. That example may largely explain why crime fighting has become so much more efficient and thus not as labor intensive as it was in the 1980s and 1990s.

No matter what, Mayor DeBlasio and Commissioner Bratton were wise to commission a study to see if the recent rise in shootings had any correlation to the drop in stop-and-frisks. Those who lived in New York 20 and 30 years ago sometimes

— probably without much cause — worry that the city could sink back to the days of the wild, wild West when more than 2,000 murders a year were the norm (versus less than 400 last year).

Keeping the city safe and educating all of our children is definitely the two most important jobs the mayor has, and these two are actually directly related. But now that school’s out and the weather’s getting much hotter and people are spending more time outside drinking and partying, we need to make sure the Thin Blue Wall, as our police department is often called, is sufficiently manned to keep us safe.

Adding 200 police and getting 400 more out of the office and onto the streets is a good start.

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.



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# Not for Nuthin', Jo ignites debate on electric rates

To the editor,

As Joanne DelBuono notes, the fluctuating cost of natural gas temporarily spiked winter power bills ("What a shock! Electric rates go up despite Gov's promise," Not for Nuthin', online June 25). Unmentioned is that a major reason electric bills are so high is the steady accumulation of state taxes and fees.

According to a New York Affordable Reliable Electricity Alliance study, New Yorkers paid 83 percent more for power than the national average and 62 percent more than our neighbors in Pennsylvania. Since 2008, the cost of making electricity in New York has dropped by 30 percent. However, the benefit of cheap domestic energy has been consumed by state taxes and surcharges that have risen sharply and now account for at least 25 percent of a typical bill.

Joanna DelBuono's article underscores two long-term needs for lowering energy costs. The first is for the state to stop whacking ratepayers with high energy taxes and immediately reduce them. The second is to offset natural gas price volatility by expanding capacity through projects like Port Ambrose, a deepwater terminal off the coast of Long Island to import natural gas into the region, and preserving access to existing stable-cost power generators such as the Indian Point Energy Center, a nuclear power plant that supplies 25 percent of the city's electricity and 11 percent statewide with virtually zero emissions. Only then will we reduce the number of "you gotta be kidding me" monthly power bills experienced by Joanne DelBuono.

**Richard Thomas**

*The author is executive director of the New York Affordable Reliable Electricity Alliance.*

## Shav's divine

To the editor,

My friends and I agree with Shavana Abruzzo that America is "the world's garbage dump" (A Britisher's View, June 20).

Henry Finkelstein writes that Shavana is "an ignorant racist" (Sound off to the Editor, June 27), but he should open his eyes and look around. Our country

# SOUND OFF TO THE EDITOR

## LETTERS AND COMMENTS FROM OUR READERS

takes in people who don't have an education or an occupation. They become welfare recipients and too many of them hate America.

Too many of them also come here for the social programs. There seem to be more welfare recipients here than there are workers. Some are coming here with three wives and 12 children. Who will feed them all? Soon our country will be a Latino-Afro republic with a low level of life. Muslims want to build their caliphate — they should change the name of Bay Ridge to Beirut. Where does that leave American taxpayers?

Henry Finkelstein advises Shavana Abruzzo to go back to England or to any country that will have her. Better that he think about what kind of America his grandchildren will be living in.

Reading "A Britisher's View" gives me much pleasure. I agree with Shavana Abruzzo 120 percent. I'm sure most readers agree with her, too, because political correctness is killing us. If only there were more writers like her.

**Ilan Lerman**  
Brooklyn

## 'Shav' whine

To the editor,

Personal criticism and the insults that go along with them don't bother me ("Shavana Abruzzo is not an ignorant racist," Sound off to the Editor, July 4). But I do take exception to anyone that refers to my country as a "garbage dump" ("America is the world's garbage dump," A Britisher's View, June 20). Abruzzo wrote that and then tries to wallpaper it over with some pseudo-patriotic blather.

If Abruzzo really thinks that our country is a garbage dump, the remedy is clear! Move back to the place she came from. In the meantime she could apologize to all the patriotic Americans who love the America we live in. It's a good thing for Abruzzo she never ran into Merle Haggard.

**Henry Finkelstein**  
Sheepshead Bay

## Crime & education

To the editor,

Your article "Jailhouse librarian pens book about dispensing prose in the pokey" (online May 9) was an interesting read, but it could transport the minds of some readers into cloud land. To construe that if every child was taught how to be a better person and to read books then per-

haps they won't turn out to be criminals is usually not the case.

Offenders can be college graduates, but still prefer a life of crime because the sick desire to be hurtful to others.

Every profession has its share of criminals who use their abilities in twisted ways that hinder the safety and lives of good people. But there are also lots of youngsters and adults who have aspirations to do great deeds, if only they were taught how to implement their goals. Books and stellar educators can make all the difference. Moreover people with cognitive disabilities must be given the opportunity to make their mark.

**Amy Kaye**  
Sheepshead Bay

## Gotham first

To the editor,

Mayor DeBlasio is to be commended for suggesting that the 2016 Democratic National Convention be brought here ("DeBlasio: Bring DNC to Brooklyn, or some other part of New York," online April 24).

I hope it will be carried out because it would be the first time in American history that such a convention was held in Brooklyn. It would be a tonic to our economy and a pot of gold at the end of the rainbow after Hurricanes Irene and Sandy.

The state has wretched in giving the city its fair share of revenue for sorely needed programs, and it is up to the mayor and the City Council to make sure the money brought to Brooklyn is spent wisely.

When the city faced a fiscal crisis in the past, other states would not have minded if we had become insolvent, in spite of the fact that we give aid to them after tornados and floods. What needs to be remembered is that if New York City fails, we all fail.

**Elliott Abosh**  
Brighton Beach

## Joke street

To the editor,

The sidewalks in Brooklyn are in bad shape. The city fixes the ones that don't need to be fixed and leaves the bad ones untouched. It's a joke. They also don't pave the streets well — another joke.

**Dennis Olsen**  
Sheepshead Bay

## 'PC' BS

To the editor,

In the television show "Political Run-

down" political correctness has run amok, and NY1 now has an official policy that you can't utter the phrase "illegal alien." Instead you must say "undocumented immigrant" in your argument or commentary about immigration.

I foresee other television stations and newspapers adopting that restrictive phrase demanded by the word police.

**Justine Swartz**  
Brooklyn Heights

## Uncle Spam

To the editor,

New Yorkers awoke to find bright yellow signs hanging on the fronts of all their public school buildings, stating in bold, red lettering the words, "free lunch." What? But before they could finish blurt-ing out the iconic, "There ain't no such thing as a free lunch," they noticed on the bottom of the same signs the additional confusing phrase, "free breakfast, too."

Oh, joyous and wonderful day! Our bold new mayor, following in the footsteps of our bold-but-not-quite-so-new-anymore president has courageously begun to lead us down the path from the humdrum dreariness of the past's "live free or die" into the glorious future of "live for free or die."

Hopefully, it won't be the path that leads to, "buddy, can you spare a dime?" The two paths can sometimes look surprisingly alike.

**Stephen Finger, M.D.**  
Mill Basin

## Damn Bam

To the editor,

Sadly, our United States is unraveling; it's being destroyed. President Obama so loves the poor, he is creating millions more.

**June Petrocelli**  
Mill Basin

## Capitol 'Hill'

To the editor,

So Hillary Clinton is flying across the nation pushing the sale of her new book. During a recent TV interview she admitted that when the Clintons left the White House, the family's finances were mis-managed and in a shambles. They were in debt, owing in excess of \$12 million.

Now she is running for the highest office in the land and wants to handle "your" taxes and the American government finances. And you are voting for her to be president?

**Robert W. Lobenstein**  
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# As always, Stan seeks the truth

Lois Lerner, the director of the IRS division that oversees nonprofit groups, struck a defiant tone in her statement when she first appeared before the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee.

"I have not done anything wrong," she said. "I have not broken any laws. I have not violated any IRS rules or regulations and I have not provided false information to this or any other committee."

Then she displayed colossalchutzpah by taking the fifth. Who did she protect?

Now her e-mails, which may contain incriminating information, disappeared and they may never be found. How convenient. It's only my opinion, but I do think this very loyal employee has the protection of someone way up the ladder.

Oh sure. There is a report that her computer crashed a while ago. Please tell me, who in this world doesn't have a crash corrected ASAP? Whether it's an individual with his personal laptop or a large corporation with super-sized mega-computers, as soon as there's a crash the experts are called in to correct the situation. Now they expect us to believe that they didn't? What about it Lois? Tell us the truth.

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What about you, Jay Carney? You told the Washington Press Corps that you never lied to them. I am much too busy laughing to comment.

...

The question asked at the cocktail party last week was, "If you were able to change your job today, what would you want to do and why?"

Some in the room who had no talent at all thought it would be glamorous to be singers, dancers and rock stars. "No!" explained our hostess. "Choose a job for which you already have the qualifications."



## IT'S ONLY MY OPINION

Stanley P. Gershbein

When the room looked at me I said that I still write for Courier Life and would love to be a critic. Aside from the salary, I would love the perks. One gal agreed and said, "Picture reviewing movies. That to me would be the best job in town. You get to see all the new flicks, scribble a few thoughts, and get paid for being entertained. Could anything be better than that?"

"Yes." I said. "I'd rather be a restaurant critic. You eat and you get paid for eating. That to ME would be the best gig in town."

"I hate to disagree with you" one man said, "but to many Americans William Breathes already has the best reviewer job on the planet."

Who? I never heard of him. Who is he?

I didn't believe what I was told so I Googled it and here goes. William Breathes is a newspaper critic who writes for a Denver paper. He uses and reviews... Drum roll please...

Marijuana. He says he uses different strains of weed separately and smokes them on different days to get an accurate feel for them "... and I try not to write my reviews when I'm really, really stoned."

I am **StanGershbein@Bellsouth.net** saying, I'd rather eat.

# Time-out for Palestinian 'cause'

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## A BRITISHER'S VIEW

Shavana Abruzzo

The Mideast conflict over a nation the size of New Jersey has raged unabated since Israel's creation 66 years ago, but its solution depends on the state that champions anarchy, not the one that promotes peace.

The abduction and murder last month of three Israeli teens and the revenge killing of a Palestinian teenager garnered the usual rounds of sympathy for Palestinians and scorn for Israelis. Yet even a cursory examination of the Palestinian cause shows it seeks the destruction of Israel over self-government.

Palestinians could have established a Palestinian state anytime during the 20 years leading up to the Six-Day War in 1967. Arabs controlled the entire West Bank, the Gaza Strip, and half of Jerusalem at the time, but there was no Palestinian nationalism to speak of at the time.

That notion is a modern gimmick born out of bitter jealousy over Israeli triumphs against the odds, not stirring patriotism. After all, how dare the Jews make Israel — a barren wasteland at the nation's formation in 1948 — into a wellspring of innovation and technology with breakthroughs in health care, agriculture, and the environment. How dare Israeli ac-

men engineer the most startups and the third-highest number of patents per capita in the world. How dare the Israelis give the world computer processors, the cellphone, God's particle, and numerous other life-altering inventions under the duress of daily terror from a relentless adversary. How dare Jews continue to thrive, despite a Palestinian siren allowing them mere seconds to seek shelter before exploding a rocket from the sky, showering them with lethal shrapnel. Day after day, month after month, year after year, decade after decade.

Palestinian apathy is represented in the volatile political parties that fail to represent Palestinian interests. Hamas, which governs the Gaza Strip, is a U.S.-designated foreign terror group. Fatah, which leads the West Bank, traces its roots to master terrorist Yasser Arafat. Their leadership is a curse, according to the next generation.

"We wanted anything outside Gaza, even if it's a jail, there is no life

here," Gaza teen Abu Huzaen told the Al-Monitor website last year before hot-footing it with pals to progressive Israel.

They're no fools. More than a dozen Arabs hold seats in the Israeli Knesset, and Muslim, Christian, and

Druze populations enjoy equal voting rights, as do Arab women in a rare regional right.

The Israeli way of life is also a just one. In 2011, an Arab judge in Israel's Supreme Court convicted former President Moshe Katsav — a Jew — of rape and sentenced him to seven years behind bars. Where else in the Arab world would a Jew mete out such impartial justice to a Muslim?

Palestinians have been successful in demanding concessions through violence. Just days before the United Nations granted Palestinians non-member observer status, brazen Palestinian terrorists launched a rocket in Gaza, killing Cpl. Yosef Fartuk, 18, and Alayaan Salem al-Nabari, an Israeli bedouin.

There is no moral equivalency between democrats and tyrants. Palestinian apologists and bottom feeders need to rethink their solidarity with a toxic cause that makes people career underdogs instead of architects of their own fate.

## Siri-ously! Joanna jumps to the iPhone!

My readers are well aware of my stormy, expensive relationship with the mega phone company Verizon Wireless. From outrageous charges on texting to lost phones, lost service, and so much more I have had my share of battles in trying to save myself money, mo money.

But recently, the company that has given me *molti agita* redeemed itself with good deeds.

My adventurous daughter Bri left to study abroad in Florence, Italy last week. As the over-protective, anxiety-riddled parent that I am, I did my best to provide not only phone access, but wifi access as well.

I signed up for the global plan on text-messaging and phone calls, which provided a reduction in price and purchased additional megabytes to use in case she needed to contact me and there was no wifi available.

The day came when Bob and I left the little one at the airport to begin her trip. On the way home from the airport Bob and I decided we would treat ourselves to new phones and proceeded to hit the nearest Verizon store to see what deals were available. We would be an iPhone family, I thought.

Buying an iPhone would provide me with Facetime, iChat, and a host



## NOT FOR NUTHIN'

Joanna DelBuono

of other perks, including (but not limited to) Siri, which will give me someone else to argue with while my daughter is away.

And boy, am I glad we did. If we didn't make that stop, Bri would not have had the access that I paid for, because no one at the megastore told me about the global card that had to be activated in order for her phone to work overseas when I purchased the plan.

Good deed number one was born.

Through phone contact with Verizon global, the tech was able to ac-

tivate Bri's global connection and initiate the program that I had paid for — that was good deed number two.

Without this connection, how else would this anxiety-riddled mom be able to close one eye in sleep, let alone both?

After this was accomplished, I set out to make us one big happy iPhone family and checked out the various deals on the phones. Verizon, of course, has discount phones, but never as good as Best Buy. So I marched over to Best Buy and discovered its new reward program — a \$50 gift card to use in the store when you sign up for early upgrade on your phone.

Ah! A \$50 gift card, just the ticket, and the switch was done. I retired my old LG Lucid to a brand-new iPhone in bright white.

Great deal!

Full steam ahead, the deal done and Verizon, that greedy mega wireless company, got me for another two years.

Not for Nuthin™, but my new iPhone plus the global plan cost a bundle — \$5 a month global fee, \$25 additional megabytes, \$50 new phone, \$30 re-upping fee, and \$40 phone case. But Face-chatting with Bri while she's in Italy? That's priceless.

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# Blue streak! Carmine has new set of wheels

I'm madder than a Canada goose watching its team sit out the World Cup while outside the State of New York harasses its friends with a border collie over the fact that my trusty steed *Tornado* has gone lame thanks to some bum electronics and a loose ball bearing.

But today I can announce that, after a week of haggling, screaming, and waiting for replacement parts, I put the old horse out to pasture and replaced it with a brand-new, blue *Tornado*.

So far I haven't taken the new mare out for a gallop — the battery is still charging, but that should be finished by this afternoon, and when it is, I am setting out in the general direction of where the buffalo roam.

In the meantime, allow me to spin a few yarns about life in and around my beloved Bensonhurst. Take these delightful moments from the Community Board 13 Coney Island Mermaid Parade party that didn't make it into last week's column, please.

How's this for a come-on?



## BIG SCREECHER

*Carmine Santa Maria*

"Is that *Tornado*?" a lady asked before telling me she is an avid fan of the Screecher and that she was also once a ballroom dance teacher.

I can't say I don't get that a lot. Don't let its diminutive di-

mensions and utilitarian appearance fool you. The motorized scooter I call throne for most of each day is an undercover hot rod that gets ample attention from observers with discerning taste.

But my wheels aren't the only thing that keep me from being able to roll five feet through a civic function without being flagged down. I also get droves of well-wishers reminiscing about the good times at the Boy Scouts' annual "Breakfast with Santa" fund-raiser, which they may as well go ahead and call "Breakfast with Santa Maria" at this point (I jest, and I digress).

Back when he could still make the steps to Parish Hall — with a platoon of party goers pushing me — your humble narrator donned a Kris Kringle outfit each year and held court, hearing the yuletide desires of each of the whippersnappers one by one.

Over the years, Santa Maria Claus packed in the milk and cookies to the point that he

could no longer attend, but the spirit of his Christmases lives on, as evidenced by the admirers telling me, "I got your picture with my son when he was a baby and now he's in college."

Now is as good a time as any to make an abrupt U-turn across the median without signalling and say that journalists who today lament the end of celebrity access ignore the fact that one of the most celebrated celebrity features of all time was written without talking to its subject.

That's right. All those namby-pamby Twitter addicts who curse the names of publicists, claiming the gatekeepers are multiplying and the windows of opportunity for the unfettered access that is the difference between a 400-word question-and-answer and an expansive cover story are closing are ignoring the classic Gay Talese piece "Frank Sinatra has a cold," on which the modern touchstone "Carmine Santa Maria has hunger pangs" is closely based. And they ignore it at their peril.

To all the aspiring journal-

ists reading this, celebrity-focused and otherwise, go forth! Seek out the little guy or gal, the person holding a mop or a bottle of water, the one standing listlessly in the rear corner of the cathedral, the one pressing her face in the window to glimpse the face on which she has bestowed all the world's meaning.

Celebrities are people, sure, but they are written about ad nauseam, to the point that unearthing a new detail about their lives is an endeavor akin to deepwater oil drilling. But they are the characters that reflect to the public, the readers of newspapers, the watchers of television, and the users of Twitter, what they want to see in themselves. And those same readers, viewers, and unpaid commentators will always be surprised and fascinated when the camera turns the other way.

Happy Fourth of July, America! The pen is mightier than the sword and Providence knows some people's prose need cutting. Stay free and I'll screech at you next week.

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# New York Harbor Watch



**TAKING AN OATH:** Mark Susi of the Weisbaden Civilian Personnel Advisory Center swears in Summer Hire workers during orientation on Clay Kaserne on June 30. Karl Weisel (IMCOM)

## Young adults get Army summer jobs

### HARBOR WATCH

A little more than 40 community youths, ages 18 to 23, stood tall in the Tony Bass Auditorium in Weisbaden, Germany on June 30 with their right arms raised to utter the oath of office to begin working as federal employees in this year's Summer Hire Program.

"I welcome you," said Chris Macri, director of the U.S. Army Garrison Wiesbaden's Directorate of Human Resources, "on behalf of the garrison. You'll be supporting the community by striving to do the best job that you can ... This experience will look good on your resumes as you go on to look for jobs in the future.

"This isn't school, but I do expect you to learn," Macri added, advising the young people to use their time wisely. "Work hard and have a fun and safe summer."

Several garrison officials provided the Summer Hires with workplace guidance before Rodney Hargus, operations officer for the garrison's Directorate of Plans, Training, Mobiliza-

tion and Security, explained their responsibilities and the oath they would soon be swearing to officially mark their entrance to the federal workforce.

"This is a paying job — one that you can be terminated from ... You are on the clock," Hargus said, instructing his listeners to "dress like professionals and to act like professionals ... Cultural awareness is important to good customer satisfaction ... Choose to have a positive attitude — it helps everybody. Treat others the way you want be treated."

"Your responsibility as an employee is to follow Equal Employment Opportunity laws and statutes," said Ron Vitiello, garrison EEO officer. "EEO is the law. It prohibits discrimination in employment based on race, color, sex, national origin or religion."

Vitiello asked the novice employees to treat each other with respect.

"Teamwork is the key — work together. You as an individual can make a difference in the federal workplace."

## Tooth decay #1 problem

### Army dentists fighting a battle against sugary drinks

### HARBOR WATCH

Sugar is being called "the new tobacco." Its many forms have been linked to the increasing rates of diabetes, heart disease, non-alcoholic fatty liver disease, and other chronic diseases in the U.S.

Army dentists have been fighting on the front lines against sugar for decades. Despite their best efforts, tooth decay continues to be the main cause of dental disease and non-battle injuries among deployed soldiers.

From 2000 to 2008, the oral health of Dept. of Defense recruits worsened. The 2008 Tri-Service Oral Health Survey revealed that Army recruits have higher numbers of untreated cavities compared to other defense recruits. A study at the largest Army installation showed that about one third of soldiers develop new treatment needs every year.

Army soldiers have better access to education about oral hygiene and proper nutrition, fluoridated water, fluoride toothpaste, and dental care than many Americans. But Army dentists report that these defenses can't compensate for soldiers' frequent snacking habits and the popularity of soft drinks, sports drinks, energy drinks, sweetened coffee, sweet tea, and coffee boutique drinks (frappachinos, etc).

Army dentists are all too familiar with the rampant decay that results when a soldier sips on sugary drinks throughout the day. Drinks that contain high amounts of sugar, caffeine and citrus flavors often cause extensive tooth decay, likely due to the combination of high sugar content and organic acids.



**SUGAR HIGH:** Oral health of the Department of Defense recruits worsened from 2000 to 2008 due in part to soldiers' dependence on sugary, caffeinated drinks. US Army Photo

Young soldiers often don't pay attention to the sugar, calories, or caffeine in their drinks. One large iced coffee can have 11 teaspoons of sugar. But even if they check the label, looks can be deceiving. The amount of sugar, caffeine, and carbohydrates per serving listed on a single can of an energy drink may not seem that bad, but they can actually contain two servings, so you must multiply by 2.

The most popular energy drink purchased at AAFES stores, 16-ounce Monster, has 13 teaspoons, and the most popular soda, 20-ounce Mountain Dew, has more

than 18 teaspoons of sugar.

Caffeine and sugar have both been shown to be addictive, and soldiers are just as vulnerable to the caffeine rush and sugar high as other Americans. During deployment or intense training courses, soldiers can come to depend on these drinks to stay awake and alert, or to relieve boredom. They return home with souvenirs that they would rather not have — a mouthful of new cavities.

Col. Johnette Shelley, director of Health and Wellness at U.S. Army Dental Command recommends soldiers practice the following

countermeasures to protect themselves from decay:

- Replace sugared beverages with sugar-free alternatives, plain water, mineral water, or unsweetened coffee or tea.

- Fruit juice contains sugar and acid also, so limit juice to 6 ounces of calcium-fortified juice per day. Eat fresh fruit to meet daily fruit intake goals.

- Drink sugary or acidic drinks quickly, within 15 minutes, rather than sipping on them for an extended period of time.

- Limit meal, beverage and snack intake to no more than five times per day. Combine sugary beverages or juice with a meal, ideally near the beginning of the meal.

- Try to drink sugary, erosive drinks cold to minimize the acidic effects.

- Use a straw that reaches to the back of the tongue to keep the drink away from your teeth.

- Drink plain water immediately following the sugared drink to "wash" it off of the teeth and neutralize the acid from the drink. Chew sugar-free or xylitol gum to help neutralize acid also.

- Wait at least 20 minutes after drinking sugary beverages or 100 percent fruit juice before brushing teeth with fluoridated toothpaste.

- Do not rinse your mouth after brushing. Just spit several times to remove the excess toothpaste. Also, don't eat or drink anything for at least 20 to 30 minutes after you brush so the fluoride will stay on your teeth as long as possible and protect them better.

Remember: sip all day, get decay!



# New dawn at Red Cloud

## Military band signals a Change of Command in S. Korea

### HARBOR WATCH

With the martial strains of a military band sounding on the morning air, Col. Jack Haefner assumed command of U.S. Army Garrison Red Cloud and Area I during a 10 am ceremony in Uijeongbu on Camp Red Cloud's tree-lined Village Green parade field, giving the US Army installation that supports the 2nd Infantry Division a new commander on June 30 at Camp Red Cloud.

The garrison manages installations in the northwest of South Korea from the Demilitarized Zone south to a point about an hour north of Seoul, the nation's capital.

Haefner replaces Col. John M. "Mike" Scott, an Apache attack helicopter pilot who led the garrison for nearly two years. Scott moves to a new assignment at the Pentagon as Chief of Staff of Joint Force Development, J7.

Haefner's most recent previous assignment was as Assistant Chief of Staff, Engineer, at Eighth Army in Seoul.

Assembled on the field were the 2nd Infantry Division Band, soldiers of the U.S. Army Garrison Red Cloud, and civilians of the Area I Korean Service Corps.

But the morning's formation differed in at least two respects from that at which Scott became commander two years ago. It included members of the U.S. Air Force's 604th Air Support Operations Squadron, a unit stationed at Camp Red Cloud. And it featured a contingent of the garrison's civilian workforce, dressed for the occasion with the men in dark pants and white shirts, and women in dark skirts and white blouses.

In her remarks as keynote speaker, Debra D. Zedalis, director of Installation Management Command-Pacific Region, praised Scott's "solid and caring leadership" and "steadfast professionalism."

"Garrison commanders



**CHANGE OF COMMAND:** Second from left, Col. Jack Haefner assumes the command replacing Col. John M. Scott, right foreground. Command Sgt. Maj. Patrick Quirk, the enlisted adviser, accepted the change of colors. Debra Zedalis, far left, was the ceremony's reviewing officer. Dave Palmer

must create an environment where soldiers and their families know they will be taken care of, 24-seven," said Zedalis, "and that's exactly what Mike and his team did."

Scott's tenure saw numerous improvements that benefitted the Area I community, Zedalis said.

They included renovation of barracks and a family readiness center; a new Child Development Center and two new Child and Youth centers; and improvements to a building that serves as the one-stop central processing site for soldiers and others starting an Area I tour of duty.

Scott also "always took a personal interest in mentoring" the garrison's civilian employees, and kept closely involved in fostering good services for the Area I's youngsters.

Zedalis noted that the garrison under Scott's leadership had won numerous awards. They included, among others, first-place in the IMCOM-Pacific Region for the best Better Opportunities for Single (and unaccompanied) soldiers, or BOSS, program in 2013; for the best large fire department; and awards for the quality of its commissaries

and Exchanges.

Zedalis said Haefner was "no stranger to garrison business" having at one point commanded U.S. Army Garrison A.P. Hill in Virginia. Haefner's most recent assignment on the Eighth Army staff in Korea had afforded him "a wealth of knowledge that is well-suited for tackling" the challenges of leading the garrison over the next two years.

"I know you will continue to move the garrison forward in serving soldiers, civilians and families and transforming to meet future needs," Zedalis said.

Scott, in his farewell remarks, said he departs the command "with many fond memories and an overwhelming sense of thankfulness."

He thanked the garrison's "hard-working and dedicated" staff, as well as its command teams at Camp Red Cloud and Camp Casey and their support staffs.

"Your day-to-day sacrifices and dedication has been a true inspiration to me, and I wish you all the very best," Scott said.

Scott reserved a special word of thanks to the Korean community, mentioning not only its civic leaders

and organizations but the garrison's Korean employees and KATUSA soldiers — South Korean soldiers assigned to duty with the U.S. Army.

Speaking his next few sentences in Korean, Scott said:

"You are such a vital part of the day-to-day activities of the garrison ... And to all of you I offer my thanks and my very best wishes ... I am and will always be, proud to be a member of this partnership," Scott said.

He also acknowledged the "crucial support and guidance" of several senior leaders, including Zedalis and Lt. Gen. Bernard S. Champoux, the commanding general of Eighth Army. And he thanked several current or former 2nd Infantry Division senior leaders, including its current commanding general, Maj. Gen. Thomas S. Vandal.

In brief remarks upon assuming command, Haefner thanked Zedalis and Vandal for their "confidence" in allowing him command of the garrison.

"I am humbled by this opportunity," said Haefner. "And I pledge to you ... my very best to keep Area I strong, and to make it stronger."



**WELCOME HOME:** Sgt. Nathan Phelps embraces wife Kalan and daughter Peyton upon his return from a deployment to Afghanistan. The return celebration was held at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, on June 24. Staff Sgt. Recharad Sherba

## 'Centurions' go home to families

### HARBOR WATCH

During the late hours of June 24 a 10-staff personal security detachment team from the 57th Military Police Company, 728th MP Battalion, 8th MP Brigade, 8th Theater Sustainment Command, boarded passenger vans at the Honolulu International Airport en route to Chofield Barracks to receive a welcome home from "Centurion" soldiers.

The Centurions standing by here represented the entire 57th MP Co. joined by friends, colleagues and families.

To the family members who anxiously awaited their husbands and fathers it made no difference if it were 10 soldiers returning or a thousand.

The ceremony befitted a much larger element.

From the handshake at the airport from Command Sgt. Major Charles Tobin, senior enlisted adviser, 8th TSC, to the final ride home on the H-1 freeway with the Centurion command team, to the welcoming, here, from senior leadership throughout the 728th MP Bn. and 8th MP Bde., the most important moment finally came — the hugs and kisses of wives and children.

This PSD team had responsibility for escorting, navigating and pro-

tecting battlefield leaders during a nine-month deployment to Afghanistan. It ensured the safety of battlefield leaders. Each PSD soldier was willing to place self between the battlefield leader and harm's way at any given time.

Upon arriving, here, Sgt. 1st Class Todd Bailey, noncommissioned officer in charge, PSD, 57th MP Co., spoke about his soldiers' performance during the deployment.

"I'm very blessed to have these soldiers, and that God said, 'hey, you're going to lead them and bring them back,' and I'm proud of that," he said. "These soldiers really bloomed. Their maturity and professionalism in respect to understanding the situation and mission were outstanding."

One of the families at the redeployment ceremony was the Acosta family, consisting of May Acosta, wife of Staff Sgt. Matthew Acosta, shift leader, PSD, 57th MP Co., and their two children Karly Rose and Kalei.

As they anxiously awaited their father's return, Karly Rose and Kalei spoke about their excitement and their feelings.

"It's crazy, on a scale of one to 10. I am at 100!" said daughter Karly Rose, age 14.



# A night of Crosby, Stills and Crash!

## Tree-branch-on-car collision sours folk night

BY NATHAN TEMPEY

A pair of Park Slope folk-music fans got a rude surprise on Tuesday night when they returned from a concert in Manhattan to find a massive tree branch lying atop their car.

The Prospect Park West couple, both media professionals, arrived back at their home near Seventh Street from a Crosby, Stills, and Nash concert at around 11:45 pm to discover half of the top of the tree sitting on, and sticking through the windshield of, their Subaru station wagon.

"We just came home and there was a car on top of our tree," said a stunned Beth Petescia.

Her husband Chris gently corrected her.

"Vice versa," he said.

The tree limb apparently came down during the brief rainstorm that swept through Brooklyn around 10:40 pm. A neighbor said he heard Fire De-



**TIMBER:** The wind of a July 8 squall apparently brought down two big chunks of trees on a block of Prospect Park West, one of which crushed two cars. Beth and Chris Petescia

partment personnel using a chainsaw on the block around 10:45 or 11, but an FDNY spokesman said he could not locate a record of what transpired there.

Tree parts came down across the city, but no one was injured, the spokesman said.

The worst aspect of the incident was that it was avoidable, Chris Petescia said.

"The funny thing is there were two spots open, and had we taken the one further back, the car wouldn't have gotten hit," he said.

A Hyundai sedan also sat in the imprint of the fallen branch and, a block towards Bartel Pritchard Square, another tree limb lay across the bike path, posing a hazard to night riders.

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## Libraries are full of stories. BRIC offers the tools to help you tell yours.

In the age of YouTube, Netflix, and the next big social media platform, people are constantly finding new ways to share their stories. This is also being made possible by organizations like BRIC and Brooklyn Public Library (BPL), who have partnered to provide free and low-cost media training. Last year, they helped over 1,000 Brooklyn storytellers amplify their voice across the ever-changing media landscape.

Providing free two-hour workshops in digital storytelling, digital camera basics, short-form video techniques, social media, stop-motion animation, and more, BRIC is giving library patrons opportunities to expand their media repertoire, boost their resumes, or inspire a new hobby. BRIC's Field Services Coordinator, Mark Pagan says of the classes, "Besides being free, these trainings are what you want them to be. We have students who return week after week to use equipment and get guidance on projects they're working on and get experience with various levels of production."

These classes provide a very unique opportunity for Brooklynites. Pagan continues, "How can you pass up classes that you can show up to anytime, with any questions and experience level, have one-on-one teacher time, and are free!"

In addition to these established free classes, this summer BRIC expands its low-cost certification and non-certification classes through the library. Popular courses such as Video Production in the Field, Video Editing with Premiere, Intro to Graphic Design, Motion Graphic with After Effects, and Web Video Production that have typically only been available at BRIC Arts | Media House (647 Fulton Street) are now available to the community right in their neighborhood.

One of the best perks about taking BRIC's certification classes still remains becoming a Certified Community Producer, allowing you to produce and air your own show on Brooklyn's public access network. BPL is also a resource for Certified Community Producers

in that they can check out production equipment for their video shoots at Kings Highway Library, Coney Island Library, and New Lots Library (in addition to BRIC House), making BRIC's services more accessible throughout Brooklyn.

BRIC's media classes are currently being offered in Central Library (10 Grand Army Plaza), Kings Highway Library (2115 Ocean Avenue), New Lots Library (665 New Lots Avenue), Coney Island Library (1901 Mermaid Avenue), and at BRIC House (647 Fulton Street).

To learn more about BRIC media education classes, including those offered at Brooklyn Public Library, please visit [BRICartsmedia.org/bme](http://BRICartsmedia.org/bme)

To learn more about Brooklyn Free Speech TV and how to air your own show on the network please visit [BRICartsmedia.org/bfstv](http://BRICartsmedia.org/bfstv)



Brooklyn Public Network (formerly known as BCAT) includes community-produced Brooklyn Free Speech TV, BRIC-produced and Brooklyn-focused Brooklyn Independent Media, and the Brooklyn Bulletin Board, a 24/7 community calendar for Brooklyn not-for-profit organizations.

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# BRIC Media Education

BECOME A BROOKLYN MEDIA MAKER WITH FREE AND LOW-COST CLASSES IN TELEVISION PRODUCTION, VIDEO EDITING, NEW MEDIA, AND MORE!



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In addition to certification classes, we offer many classes that can support your production process and get your voice heard.

**Please Note:** Becoming a Certified Community Producer is not a requirement to air a program on our channels.

Visit [BRICartsmedia.org/bfsv](http://BRICartsmedia.org/bfsv) for more info.

For more classes please visit [BRICartsmedia.org/bme](http://BRICartsmedia.org/bme)

## Four Easy Steps to Getting Your Own TV Show



1. Attend a free Orientation and learn all about our media offerings.



2. Successfully complete at least one of our certification courses and become a Certified Community Producer to gain free access to equipment, studios, and facilities.



3. Contact our Programming Department at 718.683.5643 to schedule airdates.



4. Turn on your TV and watch your show on Brooklyn Public Network or stream online!

Did you know? BRIC offers free and low-cost media classes at various Brooklyn Public Library locations. Here's a sample of upcoming free media classes at Brooklyn Public Library

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Turn your photographs into a narrative video short.  
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### SHORT-FORM VIDEO TECHNIQUES

Get tips and techniques to build compelling short-form videos with your mobile device.  
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Jul 22 | Tue | 1-3PM | Coney Island Library

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**Central Library** | 10 Grand Army Plaza | Brooklyn, NY 11238  
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**New Lots Library** | 665 New Lots Ave | Brooklyn, NY 11207  
**Coney Island Library** | 1901 Mermaid Ave | Brooklyn, NY 11224

Visit [BRICartsmedia.org/bpl](http://BRICartsmedia.org/bpl) for a detailed list of classes and branches.



# Get to know the faces of BRIC Media Education



Chris Federico, Certified Community Producer

## How did you first get involved with BRIC?

I really needed to learn to edit, and I was looking at classes at other schools — continuing education, colleges — and it's, you know, a \$1,000 class....I came to a BRIC media education orientation, and on top of them having everything I needed, everybody was really nice. BRIC is such an incredible resource. They give you access to equipment, teach you how to use it, teach you postproduction...And then they'll air your work for you! That's huge.

## What's your main focus as a video producer?

I'm an actor who comes from a theater background, and I wanted to learn more about film and television. If you have a play and you don't have a video clip of that on your website, you're kind of dead in the water. But a lot of theater companies don't have the funds to do that. And now, if my friends are in a play and they want me to shoot something, I can come to BRIC and take out a camera for the day, and then spend a week or two editing it. I literally give their play a movie trailer. I really enjoy bridging that gap. And it's not costing them thousands of dollars, because I get the equipment for free and I can edit it for free.

## What would you say to someone who's considering taking classes with BRIC?

If you have a story that you want to tell on video or film, this is the place. If you have an idea and you're willing to put in the work, they will give you everything you need, from the equipment to the knowledge. And it's a real community.



Shaun Seneviratne, BRIC Media Instructor

## What stands out about BRIC Media Education?

BRIC offers a ton of amazing classes to get started with media making. The community at BRIC is tight knit, the super-knowledgeable instructors come from all walks of media, and the folks in Public Equipment are incredibly helpful and accommodating. BRIC is also always revising their classes with new tools and skills and adding new classes for folks to take their media making to the next level (an upcoming class is Documentary Filmmaking).

## What are some projects you've worked on in the past or are currently working on?

I've made many narrative short films and freelance documentary projects, assistant edited two feature films, and written articles for *Filmmaker Magazine*. I'm currently in preproduction on a new short film I plan to shoot in August on long-distance relationships and cultural identity, as well as a web series for MTV Desi on dating and South Asian culture.

## What classes are you teaching this summer?

This summer I'm teaching Interview Skills where we'll solely focus on shooting and lighting for different types of interviews with a variety of camera setups. I've got a few Video Editing with Premiere classes on the docket and Video Production in the Field in August, which is my favorite class to teach.



## WHERE TO FIND US:

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### DIRECTIONS

Located in the heart of the Downtown Brooklyn Cultural District, BRIC House is easily reachable by subway or train.

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● 2 ● 3 ● 4 to Nevins St.;

● B ● Q ● R to Dekalb

Steps from Atlantic Terminal and the LIRR

Call 718.683.5645 for more info or visit [BRICartsmedia.org/cm](http://BRICartsmedia.org/cm)

### ABOUT BRIC

BRIC House is a cultural town square for Brooklyn and a creative lab for media makers and artists, featuring state-of-the-art media production facilities, flexible performance space, work space for the borough's performing and visual artists, a major contemporary art exhibition space, and an inviting public gathering place, all uniquely equipped to transmit live programming to over 500,000 Brooklyn households and online.

### Did you know BRIC members get a discount on our media education classes?

Become a member today and be the first to get insider access to BRIC House and all the BRIC has to offer. See benefits and other details at: [BRICartsmedia.org/bric-membership](http://BRICartsmedia.org/bric-membership)





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I'm the baby, gotta love me: A Tyrannosaurus Rex and her baby share a tender moment in "Walking With Dinosaurs."

Photo by David Scheinmann

# Bar-claws Center

## Life-size dinosaur robots roar into Brooklyn

By Max Jaeger

Hold on to your butts!

A pack of 20 life-size, animatronic dinosaurs will rampage through the Barclays Center starting July 16 as part of "Walking With Dinosaurs — The Arena Spectacular," a live-action take on the eponymous British Broadcasting Network series.

Audiences can gaze on the mighty Tyrannosaurus Rex, the gentle Brachiosaurus, and the fearsome Utahraptor — as well as a number of other species — as they parade through the arena in the 90-minute look into the lives of these long-dead lizards. And because the prehistoric creatures range from a few feet to a dozen yards tall, there isn't a

bad seat in the house, an organizer said.

"Really anywhere you are you have a chance to be eye-to-eye with a dinosaur," said spokeswoman Terey Summers, who said some of the robo-reptiles stand nearly three stories tall.

The show promises to be a mix of spectacle and education. A paleontologist emcee takes the audience through three periods — the Triassic, Jurassic, and Cretaceous — to show how the once-kings-of-the-earth lived and interacted, Summers said.

The million-dollar monsters are a feat of engineering and puppeteering, and many of the biggest beasts require three puppeteers to control, Summers said. The dino wran-

glers wear gadgets on their wrists called "voodoo controls" that allow them to dictate the beasts' movements with a wave of their hand, she said.

"It's like 'The Wizard of Oz,'" she said.

Smaller predatory dinosaurs are actually played by hyper-athletic actors in 100-pound suits, said Matt Olver, who leads a team of six suited puppeteers.

The show has been roaring through towns worldwide for years, but hasn't toured the U.S. since 2007, and Summers said dino designers have updated their replica reptiles to jibe with the latest scientific findings. The once-leathery lizards have taken on a more avian appearance after scientists found

evidence dinosaurs may have had feathers, Summers said.

The dinos' looks aren't the only thing that has evolved — the actors that inhabit the suits have changed their mannerisms to match the latest science, explained Olver.

"Every tour the paleontologists tell us something new," he said. "Before it was more like killer reptiles in a wolf pack — then they became more predatorial-bird-like."

"Walking With Dinosaurs — The Arena Spectacular" at the Barclays Center [620 Atlantic Ave. at Flatbush Avenue in Prospect Heights, [www.dinosaurlive.com](http://www.dinosaurlive.com), (917) 618-6100]. July 16-20. Tickets start at \$38.20.



# CHICKEN HEARTED

*Fund-raiser at brewery celebrates beer-loving backyard birds*

By Danielle Furfaro

Which came first — the chicken or the keg?

A Brooklyn-centric celebration of the symbiotic relationship between chicken keepers and home brewers is coming to Brooklyn Brewery, where participants will revel in the odd fact that beer can help make omelettes.

“We are trying to foster more connections and close loops in the food system,” said Robin Burger, events manager at local edibles advocacy group Just Food, which has dubbed the event Kegs and Kluckers.

Frosty beer and frittatas are connected because the spent barley and grain used in the beer-making process is the perfect snack for our fine feathered friends. But, too often, said Burger, brewers throw the grain out and it goes to waste.

“It is something not everyone knows about, and we are trying to change that,” said Burger. “Chicken keeping and home brewing are two things everyone loves, so they are usually receptive to hearing how they can help.”

The event is a fund-raiser aimed at supporting Just Food’s City Chicken Campaign, where the group helps schools, community gardens, and other groups establish chicken coops.

The party will include tastings from restaurants including Urban Rustic, 508



**Mother hen:** Garden teacher Esther Gottesman and a clucky colleague at PS-216 in Gravesend, where Just Food helped set up a chicken coop.

Photo by Steve Solomonson

Gastrobrewery, and Saltie. There will also be an “egg Olympics” with events such as an egg toss, an egg relay, and a deviled egg making competition. And, of course, there will be plenty of beer consumption, courtesy of Brooklyn Brewery and a smat-

tering of homebrewers.

*Kegs and Kluckers at the Brooklyn Brewery (79 N. 11th Street between Berry Street and Wythe Avenue in Williamsburg, www.justfood.org). July 14 at 7:30 pm. \$25.*

## Cell phone cinema

*Film festival celebrates movies made on cheap equipment*

By Danielle Furfaro

That video that you made in your apartment last night — no, not that one — might just be cinematic gold.

The Disposable Film Festival, a Californian fest dedicated to short films made with amateur equipment, has started a monthly spin-off event at Williamsburg bar-cinema Videology. And the organizers are hoping Brooklynites will contribute some lo-fi flicks of their own to the mix.

“We are all filmmakers now,” said organizer Matthew Sullivan-Pond. “What we are looking for is something where people have been innovative and imaginative.”

The Videology screenings will serve as a mine for material for the annual festival in San Francisco, a massive event that usually draws about 1,500 fans.

The festival organizers are specifically looking for films made with less-than-professional equipment, including cell phones, digital single-lens reflex cameras, webcams, or even Google Glass.

That broad description might tempt some to send in their baby and cat videos, but Sullivan-Pond said the videos need to be high quality — if not in resolution, then in content.

“You need some kind of curation or else it will be another YouTube, with a million videos of guys getting kicked in the nuts,” he said.

One of the films in this month’s lineup will be “Solo, Piano — NYC,” a film made of up still-shots that photographer Anthony



**Mobile movies:** Disposable Film Festival curator Matthew Sullivan-Pond at Videology.

Photo by Stefano Giovannini

Sherin took from his apartment window after someone left an upright piano in front of his building.

“The shots are loaded with emotion,” said Sherin, who shot the pictures as dozens of passersby stopped to play the piano and then a crew of brutish louts smashed it with a sledgehammer. “It is a really New York story.”

Sherin has shown his short film in nearly 100 film festivals and said he is happy to be a part of the Disposable Film Fest.

“It is a nice, small venue that seems to be filled with film enthusiasts,” he said.

*The Disposable Film Festival at Videology [308 Bedford Ave. at S. First Street in Williamsburg, (718) 782-3468, www.videology.info]. July 17 at 7:30 pm. Free.*



**Misty water colored memories:** This painting of the Lehigh Valley Barge 59 is part of “Out of the Box and Over a Barrel.”

Waterfront Museum

## Barging in

*Puppet show revives heyday of New York’s working waterfront*

By Noah Huowitz

This story comes with a few strings attached.

The Waterfront Museum is celebrating the 100th birthday of the river barge it calls home with a puppet show telling the history of New York’s working waterfront. “Out of the Box and Over a Barrel,” which opens on July 12, will revive the sights and sounds of the barges that once filled the harbor, ferrying cargo from ships to rail yards in Brooklyn and New Jersey.

The show is based in part on oral history — particularly that of a woman whose father worked for decades as a barge captain in the harbor, explained one of the show’s creators.

“We took photos, oral history, and artistic license, and put together the story of this barge captain,” said David Sharps, president of the floating Red Hook museum.

Alice Scanlan’s father was captain of the Lehigh Valley Barge 59. She and her family lived in the cabin of the barge from 1927 to 1936, through the height of the Great Depression. Using Scanlan’s memories of life on the water, Sharps and his collaborators crafted a multimedia play to tell her story and those of others who lived or worked on the harbor in the era of the barge and tugboat.

Scanlan’s narrative comes through in puppet form. The show follows an older woman who, after finding an old photo album, goes on a journey through her own memories. Upon this discovery, a young girl puppet takes over the story, guiding the audience through her recollections of harbor life.

And there is plenty of source material to draw from — as many as 5,000 barges cruised New York harbor in the heyday of barge shipping in the 1930s and 1940s, said Sharps. Each barge could carry as much as 300 tons of cargo, filling up to 20 railcars that could then bring goods to far-flung markets out west.

“The motto of New York Harbor was, ‘Every railroad can visit every ship,’” Sharps said. “If shoes were coming from Italy, they would be off-loaded from barge to train and then head to Chicago or California.”

The Waterfront Museum itself is part of that history. The entire museum is housed on Barge 79 of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, a still-functioning barge much like the one Scanlan grew up on.

*“Out of the Box and Over a Barrel” at the Waterfront Museum [290 Conover St. between Reed Street and New York Harbor in Red Hook, (718) 624-4719, www.waterfrontmuseum.org]. July 12-13 and 19-20 at 3 pm. \$13 adults, \$10 kids.*



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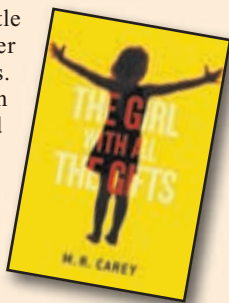


The best reads  
— handpicked by  
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employees

**Word's pick: "The Girl With All the Gifts" by M.R. Carey**

In a spare bunker, a little girl named Melanie and her classmates live strange lives. They're taken to class in restraints, bathed in weird chemicals, and fed nasty things. It's a lonesome, sterile life, one brightened only by the presence of kind teacher Miss Justineau. When the outside world intrudes, Melanie, her sergeant keeper, her teacher, and a laser-focused scientist wind up on a road trip across an England ravaged by biological change. Why it happened, what it means for humanity, and why Melanie is so peculiar — Carey teases out the answers to these questions and more.

— Molly Templeton, *Word* [126 Franklin St. at Milton Street in Greenpoint, (718) 383-0096, [www.wordbrooklyn.com](http://www.wordbrooklyn.com)].



**The BookMark Shoppe's pick: "Vintage" by Susan Gloss**

Susan Gloss's novel "Vintage" is a magical story of friendship, love, loss, and betrayal, but most of all — fashion. Hourglass Vintage, a consignment shop in Madison, Wis., is close to bankruptcy and owner Violet Turner is praying for a miracle to keep its doors open. Help comes in unusual and unexpected places. Told in alternating voices, finally a novel has come along that surpasses "The Friday Night Knitting Club." Journey with three women as they try to turn the shop profitable, and unexpectedly transform their own lives in the process.

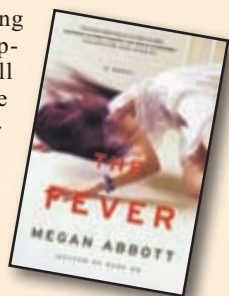
— Bina Valenzano, *co-owner, The BookMark Shoppe* [8415 Third Ave. between 84th and 85th streets in Bay Ridge, (718) 833-5115, [www.bookmarkshoppe.com](http://www.bookmarkshoppe.com)].



**Greenlight Bookstore's pick: "The Fever" by Megan Abbott**

When a group of young teenage girls start developing violent seizures, the small community where they live is struck with near paralyzing fear. No one knows what has caused the girls to become ill, but there is an eeriness accompanying the community's fear as everyone knows or senses that there's some secret they're not being told.

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



## 24 SEVEN

# PRESERVATION ROAD

*Role-playing detective game will light up Dumbo streets*

By Matthew Perlman

It is "History Detectives" meets the historic district.

A high-tech game will hit the cobblestone streets of Dumbo on July 18, where participants posing as a team of detectives will comb the area for clues that will help build a case for historic preservation. The free role-playing fun is intended to get people looking at their surroundings more closely, said one of the designers.

"It's all about how to get people interested in space again," said Adelle Lin, who developed the game with fellow designer Alex Garkavenko. "We're really interested in gentrification and our game is a playful take on this thing that's happening everywhere."

In "Who's That Loft," players will carry ultraviolet torches and scour a portion of the neighborhood looking for markings made with invisible ink. When the special light uncovers one of the stamps — which might be placed on building walls, on interesting architectural elements, or even on the ground — players snap a photo of it on their phone.

Each uncovered marking represents a clue about the history of the site, which will help to convince a fictional developer to preserve it, explained Lin.

"They've hired us investigators to find the history and



In the dark: Designers Alex Garkavenko and Adelle Lin are the creators of "Who's That Loft" — a role-playing game about historic preservation that will be at the Come Out and Play Festival in Dumbo. Photo by Stefano Giovannini

the characteristics that make the place unique," she said.

After collecting all the clues in a given area, players go to the game organizers, receive a puzzle piece, and move on to the next area. The puzzle pieces fit together to form a photograph of an actual Dumbo building, with some historic facts on the back.

Lin hopes the game will make people notice details about the neighborhood, to understand what makes it special.

"We want to draw attention to the fabric of the neighborhood," she said.

"Who's That Loft" is part of the Come Out and Play festival, a night of innovative street games and outdoor video games that will take place beneath the Manhattan Bridge archway and at other locations around New York City. Other games at the Dumbo site will include "Musclebound Glory," in which participants compete to come up with the best '80s action movie-style zingers, and "EXO: Arena," where players can use their iPhones to play laser-tag — minus the lasers.

The amusements at the festival are intended to bridge virtual and physical worlds

to create new kinds of experiences and new ways for people to have fun.

Lin sees her game as doing just that.

"A lot of times game designers are focused on creating an intimate experience with a screen," she said. "We want to make one with a physical space."

"Who's That Loft" at the Come Out and Play Festival (beneath the Manhattan Bridge archway off Anchorage Place between Pearl and Plymouth streets in Dumbo, [www.comeoutandplay.org](http://www.comeoutandplay.org)). July 18 at 7 pm. Free.

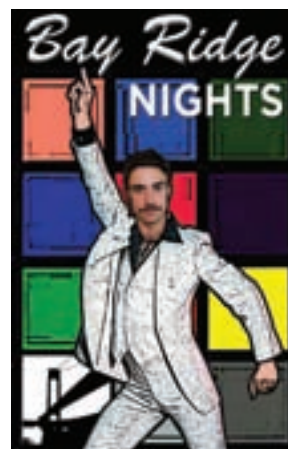
## Go play outside in Bay Ridge

By Max Jaeger

Get out of the house and into the great Bay Ridge outdoors!

After a wet and possibly boozy Fourth of July weekend, dry out (literally and figuratively) in the Ridge with some al fresco events that can be enjoyed by kids and adults alike.

A screening of "Mr. Poppers Penguins" at **Narrows Botanical Garden** (Shore Road at 72nd Street) on July 11 is perfect for both a night out with the family or a light-



hearted movie date. In this 2011 romp, Jim Carey plays Mr. Popper, an uptight workaholic whose explorer father dumps a flock of penguins in his Manhattan apartment. The screening starts at sundown — around 8:30 pm.

Rock out with your picnic blanket out at State Sen. Martin Golden's Concerts in the Park series. The event hits **Shore Road Park** (Shore Road at 79th Street) on July 15 at 7 pm, where Radio Daze will kick out party jams from the 1970s and '80s — including

Bon Jovi, Thin Lizzy, Peter Dinklage, and the Cars.

And enjoy some culture beneath the clouds back at Narrows Botanical Garden on July 19, when local theater school Act-Out! Productions opens its Shakespeare in the Park production of the Bard's "Othello."

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# Want crab, lobster, and shellfish? Come to Jordan's Lobster Dock

BY CAMILLE SPERRAZZA

Jordan's Lobster Dock was the first to introduce the lobster roll to New York, says Bill Jordan, who runs the wholesale restaurant started by his father in 1938.

The lobster roll — "quarter pound of pure lobster meat served on a toasted bun" — is one of the signature items you'll find on the restaurant's menu, says Jordan.

"We don't add celery or other fillers that you'll find at other places. It's 100 percent lobster." They don't even add mayo. Tartar sauce, mayonnaise, and lettuce are served on the side, so people can dress the lobster to their liking.

Jordan's Lobster Dock

ster to wholesale and retail dealers in the area.

"We buy lobster by the ton," says Jordan. As a result, pricing is "excellent," he says. "We deal directly with people in Canada and Maine, and the savings are passed along to customers."

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

About 40 years ago, Jordan's Lobster Dock expanded to include a restaurant that can accommodate 75 seafood lovers. Here, you can enjoy lobster steamed or broiled, or one of the many other seafood items offered.

The atmosphere at Jor-

or waitresses. Customers are called when their food — all cooked to order — is ready. It's no-frills seafood.

And everyone deserves the treat of eating this delicious, affordable seafood, so there is a no tipping policy at Jordan's. Because, in this economy, who needs an extra 15 to 20 percent added on to the bill?

If you're among those who appreciate variety in your diet, Jordan's has you covered. The restaurant serves shrimp, mussels, clams, oysters, soft-shell crabs, crab legs, fish cakes, swordfish, salmon, tuna steak, calamari, and other treasures from the sea. Delight in seafood platters that come with corn on the cob or



General manager John Olsson shows off a twin lobster with clams and steamers.

Photo by Steve Solomonson

menu. Mozzarella sticks, zucchini sticks, onion rings, and sweet potato fries are fun finger food sides. Clam

to begin a meal.

Enjoy it all with a cold beer or a glass of wine. If you've still got room for

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.

While some people fear cooking their own lobster at home, it's really not that difficult, he says.

"We recommend that you cook your lobsters on the day you get them," he says.

If you are boiling your lobster, a big pot of water, thyme, and bay leaves makes a tasty broth, he says.

He recommends squeezing some lemon juice into the water, throwing in the rinds, and bringing everything to a boil. Then, "pick up the lobster, and quickly place it, head first, into the boiling water." It's ready when the shell is a bright red color and the tail is curled.

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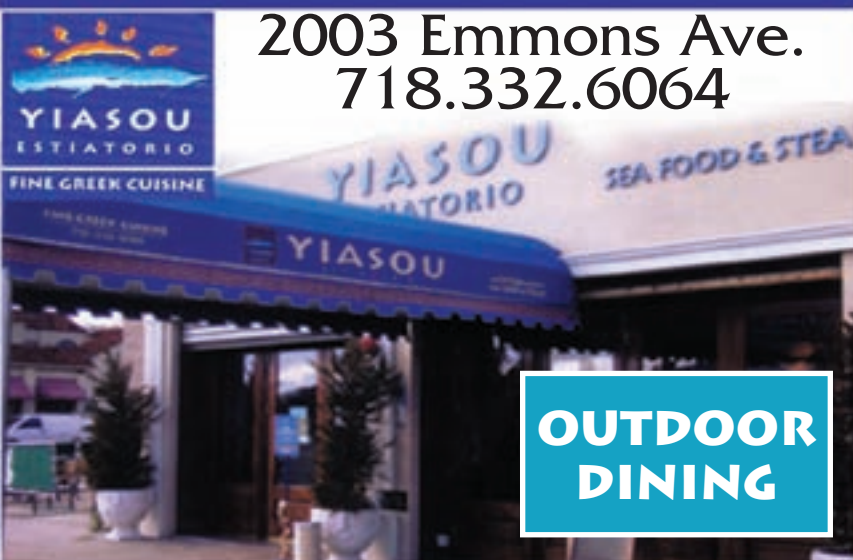
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# SIT ON IT, SHAKESPEARE!

*'Taming of the Shrew' goes 'Happy Days' in Brooklyn Bridge Park*

By **Matthew Perlman**  
A shrewd performance is coming to Brooklyn's front lawn.

Random Access Theatre is staging a 1950s-tinged production of Shakespeare's "The Taming of the Shrew" at Brooklyn Bridge Park from July 18–20. The retro twist is intended to draw out questions about the treatment of women in the classic work, explained one of the organizers.

"We're not shying away from the darker content," said Jennifer Sandella, the theater group's artistic director. "We want to be really honest about the text, looking at it through a modern lens."

The main controversy in Shakespeare's play centers around the character Petruchio, who is trying to make his wife Katherina more obedient. To a modern audience, this story line often feels misogynistic and demeaning to women. But by using a wardrobe from the



The Bard's word: Erika Cazeneuve and Mike Gregork perform in a Random Access Theatre production of "The Taming of the Shrew." *Anna Grace Carter*

1950s, when women were still struggling for basic rights of equality with men, Sandella said the Random Access production finds a parallel that makes the conversation more textured.

"It felt so appropriate," said Sandella, about setting the play in post-war America. "Kate is trying to be strong and inde-

pendent in a world where that's not available to her."

The play also casts all of the servant roles as women, a departure from the Bard's original script. This decision plays with a concept often ingrained in Shakespearean works that the servants are actually smarter than the people in power, Sandella said.

"It highlights what we're trying to say about the time," she said.

But for all the heavy politicking behind the curtains of this production, Sandella said the troupe's production is still light-hearted.

"It's a comedy for a reason," she said. "It's not tragedy."

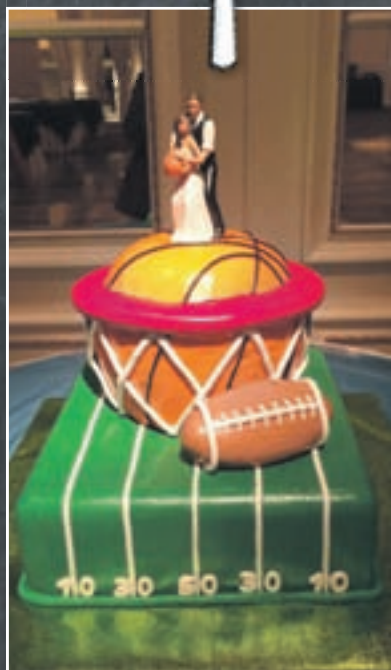
This is the third year Random Access is presenting a free outdoors play in Brooklyn Bridge Park. And for Sandella, who lives nearby in Brooklyn Heights, the production gives her a chance to feel connected to her neighborhood.

"It's something we really love to do," she said. "It's a nice change of pace to feel like we're part of a bigger community."

"The Taming of the Shrew" at Brooklyn Bridge Park, Granite Prospect (Old Fulton Street at Furman Street in Dumbo, [www.brooklynbridgepark.org](http://www.brooklynbridgepark.org)). July 18–20 at 7 pm. Free.

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**MUSIC, BRIDGE CITY HUSTLE:** \$12 (\$8 in advance). 9 pm. Knitting Factory [361 Metropolitan Ave. at Havemeyer Street in Williamsburg, (347) 529–6696], bk.knittingfactory.com.

**MUSIC, REXFORD:** Free. 11 pm. Spike Hill Tavern [184 Bedford Ave. at N. Seventh Street in Williamsburg, (718) 218–9737], www.spikehill.com.

**MUSIC, PRAWN AND CARAVELA:** Free. 11:55 pm. Knitting Factory [361 Metropolitan Ave. at Havemeyer Street in Williamsburg, (347) 529–6696], bk.knittingfactory.com.

**MUSIC, LTJ BUKEM:** \$15. 11:59 pm. Brooklyn Bowl [61 Wythe Ave. between N. 11th and N. 12th streets in Williamsburg, (718) 963–3369], www.brooklynbowl.com.

**MUSIC, THE GREAT AMERICAN ROOTS STOMP:** Jumbo Brown, Seth Kessel and The Two Cent Band, Bobtown,

and Melody Allegra Band. \$10. 8 pm. Union Hall [702 Union St. at Fifth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 638–4400], www.unionhallnyc.com.

**MUSIC, MILES OF MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP SHINDIG:** With Lauren Balthrop, Emma Beaton, Jan Bell, Jefferson Hamer, Blair McMillan, Michaela Anne, Adam Moss, and more. \$10. 8 pm. Jalopy Theatre [315 Columbia St. between Hamilton Avenue and Woodhull Street in Red Hook, (718) 395–3214], www.jalopy.biz.

**MUSIC, KIDS JUNK ORCHESTRA:** Free. 10:30 am. Brower Park [Brooklyn Avenue and Prospect Place in Crown Heights, (212) 639–9675], www.nycgovparks.org.

### OTHER

**ART, "LEE FRIEDLANDER: The Printed Picture":** Fifty years of photographs through 40 publications, ephemera, and selected epigraphs. Free. 10 am–5 pm. Pratt Library (200 Willoughby Ave. at Steuben Street in Clinton Hill).

**THE GIGLIO FEAST:** The 127th feast at Our Lady of Mount Carmel, with a parade, brass band, games, vendors selling Italian specialties, rides, and amusements. Free. 6–11 pm. The Shrine Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel (N. Eighth and Havemeyer streets in Williamsburg), www.olm-cfeast.com.

**MUSIC, KINGS OF KARAOKE:** Weekly karaoke dance party. Free. Midnight. Union Hall [702 Union St. at Fifth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 638–4400], www.unionhallnyc.com.

## SAT, JULY 12

### OUTDOORS AND TOURS

**TALK, INTRO TO BIRD WATCHING:** Take a tour and learn about the 250 species of birds that call Prospect Park home with Brooklyn Bird Club. Free. Noon–1 pm. Prospect Park Audubon Center [Enter park at Lincoln Road and Ocean Avenue in Prospect Park, (718) 287–3400], www.prospectpark.org/audubon.

**KAYAKING DAY:** Kayak with the Brooklyn Bridge Park Boat-house at the floating dock. Free. 10 am–3 pm. Brooklyn Bridge Park Pier 2 (Furman St. and Clarke Street in Brooklyn Heights).

### PERFORMANCE

**FILM, "HE WHO GETS SLAPPED":** Live accompaniment from the Alloy Orchestra and Stephane Wrembel. Free. 7:30 pm. Prospect Park Band Shell [Prospect Park West and Ninth Street in Park Slope, (718) 965–8900], www.bricartsmedia.org/cb.

**MUSIC, THE GREAT AMERICAN ROOTS STOMP:** The Alex Mallett Band, Union Street Preservation Society, Jan Bell and the Maybelles,



Play boule: Celebrate Bastille Day on July 13 at Bar Tabac's annual petanque tournament on Smith Street.

Photo by Elizabeth Graham

Sara Bouchard and the Salt Parade. \$10. 8 pm. Union Hall [702 Union St. at Fifth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 638–4400], www.unionhallnyc.com.

**MUSIC, JOHN BEASLEY'S MONK'ESTRA:** Grammy nominee and his 16-piece jazz band. Free. 8 pm. Kingsborough Community College bandshell [2001 Oriental Blvd. at Oxford Street in Manhattan Beach, (718) 368–5596], www.onstageatkingsborough.org.

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

**COMEDY, COMEDY DREAMZ:** A night of stand-up, short plays, video, music, and dance. \$7. 8 pm. Silent Barn (603 Bushwick Ave. between Jefferson and Melrose streets in Bushwick), www.silentbarn.org.

**MUSIC, EUROGRASS:** Europeans who play bluegrass and Americana music, featuring Vincent Cross and Mala & Fyrmooon. \$12. 9 pm. Jalopy Theatre [315 Columbia St. between Hamilton Avenue and Woodhull Street in Red Hook, (718) 395–3214], www.jalopy.biz.

**MUSIC, REVEREND VINCE ANDERSON AND THE LOVE CHOIR:** Free. 10:30 pm and 12 am. Union Pool [484 Union Ave. at Meeker Avenue in Williamsburg, (718) 609–0484], www.union-pool.com.

**MUSIC, THE B-SIDES NYC SESSIONS LAUNCH PARTY:** The Vandelles, Bad Buka, and Screamin' Rebel Angels. \$5–\$8. 9 pm. Littlefield [622 Degraw St. between Fourth and Third Avenues, in Gowanus, (718) 855–3388], www.littlefieldnyc.com.

**MUSIC, LUSINE, LEMON-ADE, CHAD VALLEY, XENO AND OAKLANDER, YUMI ZOUMA:** \$20 (\$17 in advance). 8:30 pm. Music Hall of Williamsburg [66 N. Sixth St. between Kent and Wythe avenues in Williamsburg, (718) 486–5400], www.musicallof-williamsburg.com.

### SALES AND MARKETS

**GRAND ARMY PLAZA GREEN-MARKET:** Farm-fresh seasonal produce, meats, prepared foods, compost drop-off, and live performances. Free. 8 am–4 pm. Grand Army Plaza (Union Street between Flatbush Avenue and Prospect Park West in Park Slope).

**ARTISTS & FLEAS:** New designers come in each weekend. Free admission. 10 am–7 pm. Artists & Fleas (70 N. Seventh St. between Kent and Wythe avenues in Williamsburg), www.artistsandfleas.com.

**BROOKLYN FLEA FORT GREENE:** 150 vendors selling crafts, antiques, food, and more. Free. 10 am–5 pm. [176 Lafayette Ave. between Clermont and Vanderbilt avenues in Fort Greene, (718) 928–6603], www.brooklyn-flea.com.

### OTHER

**RIDE THE NOSTALGIA TRAIN:** Ride a vintage train to Coney Island. \$50 (\$25 children). 11 am. New York Transit Museum [Boerum Place at Schermerhorn Street in Downtown, (718) 694–1600], www.mta.info/mta/museum.

**DANCE AND MOVEMENT WORKSHOP:** Lean basic hip-hop and discover the rhythm inside you. Free. Noon–1 pm. Garden of Hope [392 Hancock St. in Bedford-Stuyvesant, (212) 333–2525], www.nycgovparks.org.

**READING, "POKING A DEAD FROG":** Book launch and discussion with author Mike Sacks and "Saturday Night Live" alum Bill Hader. Free. 6–8 pm. PowerHouse Arena [37 Main St. at Water Street in Dumbo, (718) 666–3049], www.powerhousearena.com.

**READING, "CYCLING TO ASYLUM":** With Su J. Sokol. Free. 6–8 pm. Community Bookstore [143 Seventh Ave. between Garfield Place and Carroll Street in Park Slope, (514) 248–5266], www.communitybookstore.net.

between N. 11th and N. 12th streets in Williamsburg, (718) 928–6603], www.brooklynflea.com.

**UNDERGROUND THRIFT STORE:** Browse a curated collection of upscale and designer clothing and accessories as well as collectibles for the home. A percentage of proceeds benefits organizations that fight human trafficking. Free. 12:30–4:30 pm. Plymouth Church [65 Hicks St. between Orange and Cranberry streets in Brooklyn Heights, (212) 829–4923].

### OTHER

**ART, DRINK & DRAW:** Weekly figure drawing class; model, crayons, and paper provided, or bring your own materials. Free (2-drink minimum). 10:30 pm. Macri Park Bar [462 Union Ave. at Metropolitan Avenue in Williamsburg, (718) 599–4999], www.macripark.com.

## MON, JULY 14

### PERFORMANCE

**MUSIC, SCHOOL NIGHT!:** Bands and DJs curated by Chris Douridas (KCRW) and Matt Goldman (MFG), with guest DJ Garth Trinidad (KCRW). \$7 (Free with RSVP). 8 pm. Brooklyn Bowl [61 Wythe Ave. between N. 11th and N. 12th streets in Williamsburg, (718) 963–3369], www.brooklynbowl.com.

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

**MUSIC, ALEXIS TAYLOR OF HOT CHIP, THE YUM DEE DAYS:** \$14. 10 pm. Rough Trade NYC (64 N. Ninth St. between Wythe and Kent avenues). www.roughtradenyc.com.

**MUSIC, THE SOUND OF VICTORY FELLOWSHIP CHOIR:** Free. 7 pm. New Life Tabernacle [1476 Bedford Ave. at Sterling Place in Crown Heights, (718) 209-9111], www.nltbrooklyn.org.

## TUES, JULY 15

### PERFORMANCE

**THEATER, "LITTLE RED'S HOOD":** A modern twist on a classic tale. Free. 10:30 am. Maria Hernandez Park [Knickerbocker Avenue and Willoughby Avenue in Bushwick, (718) 965–8900], www.nycgovparks.org.

**COMEDY, "THE FANCY SHOW":** Producers Michael Joyce, Langston Kerman, Lane Pieschel, Simmons McDavid and Jenny Zigrino share the stage with local talent. Free. 8 pm. Bar Reis [375 Fifth Ave. between 5th and 6th streets in Park Slope, (718) 974–2412].

**MUSIC, "THE WAY YA LIKE" OPEN MIC:** Local bands, musicians, singers, artists, and poets ply their craft on an open stage. Play or just listen. Free. 8 pm. Goodbye Blue Monday [1087 Broadway, between Lawton and Dodworth streets in Bedford-Stuyvesant, (718) 453–6343], www.myspace.com/goodbyebluemondayinc.

## SUN, JULY 13

### OUTDOORS AND TOURS

**FIX YOUR BIKE WORKSHOP:** Fix your own bike with advice and some assistance from experienced bike mechanics. Tools provided. Free. 6–8 pm. (99 South 6th St. near Bedford (Under Williamsburg bridge) in Williamsburg).

**BASTILLE DAY:** Celebrate France's national day with a petanque tournament, live music, and food. Free. 11 am. Bar Tabac [128 Smith St. at Dean Street in Boerum Hill, (718) 923–0918] www.bartabacny.com.

**BEAT THE SUMMER HEAT DANCE PARTY:** With Hip Tween and DJ Misbehaviour. Free. Noon–3 pm. Lakeside Rink Prospect Park [171 East Drive at Lincoln Road in Prospect Park, (718) 809–8850], www.hiptot.com.

### PERFORMANCE

**MUSIC, SPLINTERED SUNLIGHT:** A Tribute to The Grateful Dead: \$10. 8 pm. Brooklyn Bowl [61 Wythe Ave. between N. 11th and N. 12th streets in Williamsburg, (718) 963–3369], www.brooklynbowl.com.

**MUSIC, ELI AUGUST, PAINLESS PARKER, MATT DEBLASS:** \$12. 8 pm. Jalopy [315 Columbia St. between Hamilton Avenue and Woodhull Street in Columbia Street Waterfront, (718) 395–3214], www.jalopy.biz.

**MUSIC, BRIANA LAYON AND THE BOYS:** \$12 (\$10 in advance). 8:30 pm. Knitting Factory [361 Metropolitan Ave. at Havemeyer Street in Williamsburg, (347) 529–6696], bk.knittingfactory.com.

**COMEDY, COMEDY NIGHT:** Hosted by Hannibal Bursess. First come, first seated. Free. 9 pm. Knitting Factory [361 Metropolitan Ave. at Havemeyer Street in Williamsburg, (347) 529–6696], bk.knittingfactory.com.

### SALES AND MARKETS

**BROOKLYN FLEA- WILLIAMS-BURG:** 150 vendors selling crafts, antiques, and more. Free. 10 am–5 pm. [50 Kent



**OTHER**

**READING, "A BRAVE MAN SEVEN STOREYS TALL":** Author Chancellor in conversation with Teddy Wayne. Free. 7 pm. PowerHouse Arena [37 Main St. at Water Street in Dumbo, (718) 666-3049], www.powerhousearena.com.

**MOVIE TRIVIA:** Six rounds, including famous movie quotes, not so famous movie quotes, and Nicolas Cage quotes. Free. 8:30 pm. Videology (308 Bedford Ave. at S. First Street in Williamsburg), www.videology.info.

**WED, JULY 16****PERFORMANCE**

**MUSIC, YESTERDAY AND TODAY:** Beatles tribute band. Free. 7 pm. Marine Park (Fillmore Avenue at Ryder Street in South Brooklyn).

**MUSIC, MICHAEL DAVES AND BRITTANY HAAS:** \$12. 7:30 pm. Jalopy Theatre [315 Columbia St. between Hamilton Avenue and Woodhull Street in Red Hook, (718) 395-3214], www.jalopy.biz.

**MUSIC, THE DONKEYS:** \$12 (\$10 in advance). 8 pm. Knitting Factory [361 Metropolitan Ave. at Havemeyer Street in Williamsburg, (347) 529-6696], bk.knittingfactory.com.

**MUSIC, QUEENESTHER AND THE HOT 5:** Free. 7 pm. Brooklyn Public Library's Central branch [Flatbush Ave. at Eastern Parkway in Grand Army Plaza in Park Slope, (718) 230-2100], www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org.

**MUSIC, THE CHAPIN SISTERS, ALANA AMRAM AND THE ROUGH GEMS:** \$8. 9 pm. Union Pool [484 Union Ave. at Meeker Avenue in Williamsburg, (718) 609-0484], www.union-pool.com.

**MUSIC, CAMERA OBSCURA, LAURA CANTRELL:** \$25. 9 pm. Music Hall of Williamsburg [66 N. Sixth St. between Kent and Wythe avenues in Williamsburg, (718) 486-5400], www.musicallofwilliamsburg.com.

**COMEDY, PUNCH YOUR FACE COMEDY SHOW:** Andrew Short, Jason Burke, Mike Recine, Sean Donnelly, Noah Gardenswartz, Steven Forrest. \$6. 8:30 pm. Union Hall [702 Union St. at Fifth Avenue in Park Slope, (718) 638-4400], www.unionhallny.com.

**"WALKING WITH DINOSAURS":** Arena show featuring 20 animatronic dinosaurs. \$30-\$94. 10:30 am, 11 am, 1 pm, 3 pm, 5 pm and 7 pm. Barclays Center [620 Atlantic Ave. at Pacific Street in Prospect Heights, (917) 618-6100], www.barclayscenter.com.

**OTHER**

**TALK, BROOKLYN BRIDGE PARK:** Wednesday Night Tours: Learn about the history, ecology, and design of Brooklyn Bridge Park from scholars and community members; for schedule see website. Free. 6:30 pm. Brooklyn Bridge Park, Pier 1 (Enter at Old Fulton St. near Furman Street in Dumbo), www.brooklynbridgepark.org.

**ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT BINGO:** Win free drinks and frozen bananas while watching episodes of cult comedy "Arrested Development." Free. 8:30 pm. Videology (308 Bedford Ave. at S. First Street in Williamsburg), www.videology.info.

**THURS, JULY 17****PERFORMANCE**

**MUSIC, BUTLER, BERNSTEIN AND THE HOT 9:** Free. 12 pm. MetroTech Commons at MetroTech Center (MetroTech Center between Lawrence and Bridge streets in Downtown), www.bam.org/metrotech.

**MUSIC, KARSH KALE:** Electric Tabla Nights Summer Session: \$10-\$12. 8:30 pm. Brooklyn Bowl [61 Wythe Ave. between N. 11th and N. 12th streets in Williamsburg, (718) 963-3369], www.brooklyn-bowl.com.

**MUSIC, NATHAN XANDER, DEAD PAINTERS, JUDSON CLAIBORNE:** \$8. 9 pm. Union Pool [484 Union Ave. at Meeker Avenue in Williamsburg, (718) 609-0484], www.union-pool.com.

**OTHER**

**TALK, CITY RELIQUARY'S ANNUAL COLLECTOR'S NIGHT:** Performances, presentations, and stories from collectors of quirky things. \$10 (\$5 BHS members). 7 pm. Brooklyn Historical Society [128 Pierrepont St. at Clinton Street in Brooklyn Heights, (718) 222-4111], www.brooklynhistory.org.

**FILM, "SHARKNADO":** Part

of Syfy Movies With a View series. Free. 9 pm. Brooklyn Bridge Park, Harborview Lawn (Enter at Old Fulton St. near Furman Street in Dumbo), www.brooklyn-bridgepark.org.

**FRI, JULY 18****PERFORMANCE**

**MUSIC, RED BARAAT:** \$15. 9 pm. Brooklyn Bowl [61 Wythe Ave. between N. 11th and N. 12th streets in Williamsburg, (718) 963-3369], www.brooklynbowl.com.

**MUSIC, KARLIE BRUCE AND CHRIS PARRELLO. THE WOES, HOWARD FISHMAN:** \$12. 9 pm. Jalopy Theatre [315 Columbia St. between Hamilton Avenue and Woodhull Street in Red Hook, (718) 395-3214], www.jalopy.biz.

**MUSIC, JANICE MARIE ROB-INSON'S MELODIC MAGIC:** Concert for children. Free. 10:30 pm. Brower Park basketball courts (Brooklyn Ave. nue and Prospect Place in Crown Heights), www.nycgov-parks.org.

**SAT, JULY 19****PERFORMANCE**

**MUSIC, SPEAK EASY:** Carole Bufford with Vince Giordano and the Nighthawks performing the best of Sophie Tucker, Al Jolson, Louis Armstrong, and Bessie Smith. Free. 8 pm. Kingsborough Community College Bandshell [2001 Oriental Blvd. at Oxford Street in Manhattan Beach, (718) 368-5596], www.onstageat-kingsborough.org.

**MUSIC, THE CLIENTELE:** \$20 (\$15 in advance). 8:30 pm. Baby's All Right [146 Broadway between Bedford and Driggs avenues in Williamsburg, (718) 599-5800], babysallright.com.

**MUSIC, AVA LUNA, MAN FOREVER, WAREHOUSE:** \$12. 9 pm. Rough Trade NYC (64 N. Ninth St. between Wythe and Kent avenues), www.roughtrade-nyc.com.

**MUSIC, THE FAB FAUX:** \$40. 9 pm. Music Hall of Williamsburg [66 N. Sixth St. between Kent and Wythe avenues in Williamsburg, (718) 486-5400], www.musicallofwilliamsburg.com.

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his compassion, dedication and ability to work well with others, as well as his advocacy on behalf of all physical therapists.

Our pal Michael will preside over approximately 5,000 licensed physical therapists, assistants, and students.

He is a graduate of the State University of New York and City University of New York in Brooklyn, he received his doctorate from Temple University in 2006, and he holds a master's degree in hospital administration from Ohio University and a master in science from Long Island University.

Michael has served for several years as legislative liaison for the New York Physical Therapist's Association's Brooklyn-Staten Island Chapter and has been a chairman on its advisory panel on legislation since 2011. In addition to working at Mount Sinai Beth Israel Brooklyn, he is the founder and chief executive officer of Mattia Physical Rehabilitation, and an adjunct professor at the College of Staten Island and Kingsborough Community College.

*Mount Sinai Beth Israel Brooklyn [3201 Kings Hwy. at E. 32nd Street in Midwood, (718) 252-3000].*

BROOKLYN HEIGHTS

## Put out the welcome mat

Greetings to **Amelia Wilson**. Standing O pal was elected to the Board of Directors at the **Brooklyn Bridge Park Conservancy** last month.

**Nancy Bowe**, chairwoman of the Conservancy, was delighted with the selection.

"It is our pleasure to welcome Amelia to the Conservancy's team," she said. "Her fresh perspective, energy, and enthusiasm will greatly enrich our efforts to support Brooklyn Bridge Park."

Amelia — who originally hails from Australia, where she received a Bachelor of Laws Degree from Queensland University of Technology — is now a true-blue Brooklynite through and through.

In 2011, she founded Armstrong Wilson Advisory, where she advises nonprofit or-



**IN THE NAVY:** Right, Xaverian High School 2014 graduate Patrick Coen is headed to the United States Naval Academy to study engineering.

## Navy-bound grad sailing seven seas

BAY RIDGE

Set sail and anchors aweigh to **Patrick Coen**, a 2014 **Xaverian High School** graduate appointed to the U.S. Naval Academy, where he plans on studying engineering.

This seafaring young gent headed down to Annapolis in Maryland last month to begin his plebe year — that's brand-new incoming sailor to you and me. Patrick was also accepted to the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, but the call of the sea was far greater than the

call of the infantry. The National Merit Scholarship finalist was also accepted to University of Notre Dame, Manhattan College, Fordham University, Binghamton University, and Rensselaer Polytechnic University. Hey, this is one smart, aspiring sailor.

Standing O salutes Patrick, and wishes him this toast, "May you always have sturdy sea legs, calm seas, and a bright star to guide you home."

*Xaverian High School [7100 Shore Rd. at 71st Street in Bay Ridge, (718) 836-7100].*

ganizations on governance, management, and leadership best practices. Amelia, a former executive at Goldman Sachs, is chairwoman of the Governance and Nominating Committee of the Board of Girls Leadership Institute.



An active member of the community, she also serves on committees for the Brooklyn Kindergarten Society, the Brooklyn Public Library, and the historic Plymouth Church.

The woman of the hour is thrilled with her new post.

"I am delighted to join the Conservancy's board, and look forward to being a part of the effort to steward our own, world-class, Brooklyn Bridge Park," she said.

*Brooklyn Bridge Conservancy [334 Furman St. at Joralemon Street in Brooklyn Heights, (718) 802-0603]*

BENSONHURST

## Welcome to the chair

Standing O welcomes **Sister Elizabeth Hill**, alumna and former president of St. Joseph's College, as the new chairwoman of Bishop Kearney High School.

**Sister S. Helen Kearney**, president of the Sisters of St. Joseph, had nothing but praise for Sister Hill.

"Sister Elizabeth Hill is dedicated to the



BENSONHURST

## A jolly good student

Stand and cheer for budding Bensonhurst philanthropist **Eldin Fera-tovic**, winner of a **32BJ Union** scholarship, which is presented to the sons and daughters of union members.

Eldin, a former student at LaGuardia High School for Music and Arts in Manhattan, helped to organize fund-raisers that elevated awareness about human trafficking and child marriages in Uganda, and raised more than \$5,000 to send girls to schools in Africa. The fund-raising scholar was able to do all the above and still maintain a 90 average in class.

Eldin advanced his goal to be a humanitarian by spending summer vacations in Montenegro, his father's homeland, and helping to rebuild roads and address other quality of life issues.

"Sanitation in Montenegro is anything but sanitary," says Eldin, who will attend Baruch College in the fall. "Garbage lines the roads and doubles as fencing for some villagers' homes."

Standing O offers this good Samaritan the very best success, and cannot wait to shout-out once again when he graduates.

education of the whole person to be a responsible member of our complex society," she told Standing O. "She believes in the dignity of all persons and values developing their competencies, self-confidence and spiritual values to live fruitful and satisfying lives."

Sister Kearney said the school looked forward to a wonderful partnership with Sister Elizabeth and the board, and with new president **Dr. Margaret Minson** and new principal **Elizabeth Guglielmo**.

Sister Elizabeth graduated from Columbia University and from St. John's University School of Law. She worked as a staff attorney in the Catholic migration office in Brooklyn and served as an executive assistant to St. Joseph's previous president, Sr. George Aquin O'Connor, from 1980 to 1997. In 2014, Sr. Elizabeth was the recipient of the prestigious Lifetime Achievement Award by the Long Island Association.

Standing O wishes Sister Elizabeth a long and happy seat!

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● 'I don't want to do anybody else's job in the organization other than the one that I'm hired to do.'

— Newly minted Nets head coach Lionel Hollins on his ambitions within the organization

● 'There was no going back.'

— Lincoln's Javon Moore on playing quarterback for the first time

# Brooklyn Nets catch Hollins as new coach

No Kidd-ing! Says he just wants to lead court-side, not in back office

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Lionel Hollins was taken back by seeing his picture displayed boldly and proudly outside the Barclays Center as he arrived to be introduced as the Brooklyn Nets' new head coach.

"I'm very low maintenance," Hollins said. "I'm actually embarrassed. I drove up and saw the big billboard with my picture on it."

It was a quick reminder of why he wanted to be in Brooklyn. The 60-year-old expressed at a press conference on Monday how happy he was to be with a Nets organization and an owner like Mikhail Prokhorov, who has shown he is willing to use his money and resources to win. The New York market was enticing to him, and he feels it will be to free agents as well.

"When you start looking at the whole package, it becomes a very exciting opportunity and I'm looking forward to it," Hollins said.

His hiring gives the Nets its fourth coach in the last four seasons. It also puts an end to a hectic two weeks. Former coach Jason Kidd, after just one season, reportedly pushed to be in charge of the team's entire basketball operations. His request was denied and he left to coach the Milwaukee Bucks. Hollins wants no part of any added responsibility or power.

"I'm a basketball coach," he said. "I don't want to do Billy's job. I don't want to do anybody else's job in the



**EXPERIENCED HAND:** Twenty-year NBA coach Lionel Hollins expressed his happiness to be replacing ambitious novice Jason Kidd as Nets coach during a press conference at the Barclays Center on Monday.

Photo by Steve Schnibbe

organization other than the one that I'm hired to do."

In a time where NBA teams are hiring former players to coach fresh out of their sneakers, Hollins brings 20 years of NBA coaching experience after playing 10 seasons in the league. He was most recently the head coach of the Memphis Grizzlies from 2009 to 2013. In his final season, he led Memphis to 56 wins and the organization's first trip to the West-

ern Conference finals, but philosophical differences between him and the front office kept him from being brought back.

"What always stood out about Lionel was his team's win," said Nets general manager Billy King said.

Hollins was in the mix for the Nets job when Kidd was hired last offseason, but didn't earn an interview. This time, King felt Hollins was the best fit and moved quickly to land him. King

sees him as tough coach, who fits his style of play to his roster and has a proven track record from this time in Memphis of developing young players. Hollins coached under Cotton Fitzsimmons and Paul Westphal in Phoenix and played for Hall of Fame coaches Billy Cunningham, Chuck Daly and Jack Ramsey.

"He's been around a lot of great basketball minds," King said. "He's been able to take that in and turn himself into a good coach."

The Nets roster is still in flux after going 44-38 and reaching the Eastern Conference semifinals. Core players Deron Williams, fresh off ankle surgery, Brook Lopez, who missed most of last season with a broken foot, and guard Joe Johnson are set to return. Brooklyn is waiting on decisions from free agents Paul Pierce and Shawn Livingston. Forward Kevin Garnett has a year left on his contract, but could opt to retire or ask to be traded.

Hollins has briefly talked to Williams, but has not reached out to rest of the players just yet. He said he'll leave negotiations with Pierce to King, but what anyone on the Nets roster can expect from their new coach is as simple as Hollins himself.

"If they are out watching they know I'm going to be straight with them, be consistent with them," Hollins said. "We are going to have fun, work hard, and we are going to win."



**MOORE OF EVERYTHING:** Abraham Lincoln quarterback Javon Moore closed out a special career by receiving the Wingate Award for football.

Photo by Joseph Staszewski

## Lincoln's Moore closes career with Wingate Award

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Javon Moore still doesn't look like a quarterback, but that's only before the ball is hiked into his hands.

The 5-foot-8 Abraham Lincoln senior said when he first put on cleats for his Brooklyn Renegades youth team, he played wide receiver and cornerback. But the next season, the coach — Moore's cousin — recognized his strong arm and placed him under center, where he has been ever since.

"There was no going back," he said. "I forgot how to tackle. I forgot how to catch. There was nothing else but quarterback."

Abraham Lincoln was just fine with that. Railsplitters coach Shawn O'Connor remembers Moore as a seventh grader at a camp he helped run. He was one of the smallest kids on the field, but also one of the toughest.

"He competed in everything that he did there," O'Connor said. "He just wanted to win."

That's exactly what he did in a Railsplitters uniform. Moore, who will attend Morrisville State College in the fall, was on two city-championship teams and was the most valuable player in this year's title game, while playing on a severely sprained ankle. He also earned the Wingate Award, given by the Public School Athletic League to the best student athlete in each of its sports.

"It's an honor to get an award and be recognized for all the things that I did this year, and all the things that my team did."

What Moore did was throw 29 touchdowns and amass 2,090 passing yards. He did so as receivers Malik Andrews and Carlos Stewart got better

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# CYCLONES CONFIDENTIAL

## Up and down week thanks to weak Clones bats

### Aberdeen 3 Cyclones 2

*July 4, at MCU Park*

Mets pitcher Dillon Gee dominated all six innings of his second rehab appearance at MCU Park against the Aberdeen Ironbirds, but his fellow Cyclones did not back him up.

Gee struck out 10 batters, gave up three hits and one run, and walked only one.

Josh Prevost came in to relieve Gee in the seventh but Aberdeen's batters got the better of him. Prevost pitched two innings, striking out just one and giving up two goals.

Cyclone sluggers rallied in the top of the ninth when Jeff Diehl replaced designated hitter Tyler Moore and smashed a double that scored Jhoan Urena, but it couldn't keep the Cyclones from dropping their fourth-straight match.

### Aberdeen 18 Cyclones 2

*July 5 at MCU Park*

No win for you!

That was the message the Aberdeen Ironbirds

sent to the Cyclones at Saturday's sold-out "Salute to Seinfeld Night" game, a bloodbath that marked the Clones' fifth straight loss.

Pitching is almost never the problem for the Cyclones, but that night proved it can be. Casey Meisner made it through three and a third innings and gave up nine hits and a whopping nine runs. Juan Urbina came in to relieve Meisner in the fourth, and the Ironbirds promptly tacked on seven runs that inning, and another five in the fifth.

Batting has been a persistent weakness of the Mini-Mets, and July 5 was no exception, as the team's sluggers managed only seven hits. The only two Clone runs came in the fifth and sixth innings when a series of walks loaded the bases and a single by Dimas Ponce scored Jeff Diehl. The second run crossed the plate when a double by Jeff Diehl allowed Michael Katz to score.

The Cyclones also committed five errors that allowed seven unearned Ironbird goals.

### Cyclones 7 Aberdeen 0

*July 6 at MCU Park*

The Cyclones did a complete 180 during Sunday's game, redeeming themselves after a crushing loss against the Aberdeen Ironbirds the previous night.



**PERFECT PITCH:** Gaither Bumgardner pitched four perfect innings on July 6.

The Clones pitching was back on point, as Carlos Valdez made it through five innings giving up only two hits, striking out six, and walking only one batter. Gaither Bumgardner got the ball in the fourth

and pitched four perfect innings, giving up nary a hit and striking out four batters. Bumgardner also got the save.

The bats finally woke up for the Clones, too, bringing in 7 goals on 13 hits. Tucker Tharp started it off in the fourth inning with a single to right, and Brooklyn's home-team continued to play small ball to score three in the fourth and four in the sixth. Jeff Diehl also extended his hit streak to 10 straight games.

### Hudson Valley 8 Cyclones 4

*July 7 at MCU Park*

The Cyclones and the Renegades picked up a rained-out July 2 game where they left it, in the top of the second inning with two outs and the Renegades in the lead 1-0. The reboot wasn't pretty for the Cyclones.

Starting pitcher Octavio Acosta gave up six runs on five hits, while striking out three. He gave up a home run in the sixth inning to Hunter Lockwood, but stayed in the

game into the seventh.

The Cyclones had a lackluster day at the plate, seeing only two productive innings. In the fourth, Tomas Nido singled to center before Jhoan Urena brought him around with a two-run blast, putting the Clones in the lead 2-1. The next inning also saw a couple of runs for the Mini-Mets, this time with the help of good old-fashioned small ball. After Will Fulmer reached base on a fielder's choice, Dimas Ponce was hit by a pitch and left the game with a sore hand. Amed Rosario came in to pinch run, and after a wild pitch moved him and Fulmer over, a single up the middle by Nido scored them both.

But then the Mini-Mets fell apart, starting with the Renegades' homer in the sixth and continuing with Hudson Valley goals in the seventh, eighth, and ninth.

The Cyclones and Renegades faced off a second time that night for a seven-inning makeup game, and completed the grueling

four-game slog with a doubleheader the next morning.

### Cyclones 3 Hudson Valley 2

*July 7 at MCU Park*

The Cyclones redeemed themselves after dropping the first game of the evening's doubleheader, squeaking out a win in seven innings thanks to dominant pitching from Corey Oswalt and a bases-clearing double from Michael Katz.

Oswalt tossed six complete innings, walked only two batters, struck out seven, and allowed just two runs, one unearned, on four hits. Shane Bay came in for the seventh and struck out the side, giving up only one hit for his fifth save of the season.

The Clones' big inning came in the fifth when Luis Arrizurieta drew a lead off walk, Tucker Tharp hit a double that got Arrizurieta to third, Ahmed Rosario walked to load the bases, and Michael Katz finished it off with a double.

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# All-Brooklyn baseball honors

BY JOSEPH STASZEWSKI

Poly Prep and Xaverian penned title runs of historic proportions in what was another fine baseball season in Brooklyn.

The Blue Devils excelled with an experienced group that had great senior leadership. They became the first school to win a fourth-straight private school state title. Xaverian's path to its first Catholic Class AA crown since 2011 wasn't quite as easy. It had to win seven elimination games along the way.

A second-straight crown wasn't to be for Telecommunications in the Public School Athletic League. Grand Street reached its fourth-straight semifinals after up-and-coming Midwood wrestled the division crown away. Nazareth also showed it has a bright future by making the Catholic A final in its first season back in the league.

Here are the players who helped make these moments happen and are considered Brooklyn's best:

**All-Brooklyn Player of the Year:** Anthony Sigismond, Xaverian

The senior refused to believe this was just a rebuilding season from the start, and he made sure it wasn't. The smart and gritty Sigismond won three playoff games, including the semifinal and championship clinchers. He went 10-3 overall with a 1.20 ERA and 52 strikeouts. Sigismond isn't the hardest throw, but that never stopped him from controlling lineups.

**All-Brooklyn Coach of the Year:** Frank DelGeorge, Xaverian

DelGeorge called 2014 a rebuilding year after losing 17 seniors and returning a talented but inexperienced roster. It took the pressure off and allowed the Clippers' skipper and his staff time to cultivate



**X-MAN:** Xaverian ace Anthony Sigismond is our pick for 2014 All-Brooklyn baseball Player of the Year. Photo by Ken Maldonado

this group. He demanded the best from them and eventually got it as Xaverian went on to win the city title in his second season at the helm.

**All-Brooklyn First Team:**

**Pitcher** Rob Amato, Xaverian

Amato was one of the most feared pitchers in the Catholic league. The junior went 5-2 with a 0.94 ERA and 66 strikeouts in 60 innings. He fanned nine in a playoff win over Salesian and won the opener of the final.

**Catcher** Rob Calabrese, Poly Prep

Calabrese posted a .432 batting average with 30 RBI and his cannon arm shut down opponents' running games. What can't be measured is the effectiveness of his overall leadership and smarts while leading Poly to a fourth-straight crown.

**Catcher** Marcus Chavez, Grand Street Campus

The super sophomore

proved to be just that. Chavez had a breakout season, hitting .581, posting an on-base percentage of .673 and slugging seven doubles. He had three hits and three RBI in a big win over Telecom.

**Pitcher** Alex Cuas, Grand Street Campus

The hard-throwing senior was a major reason for the Wolves' success. Cuas, who has a high-80s fastball, was a perfect 5-0 during the regular season with a 0.41 ERA. He also thrived when called upon to close.

**Pitcher** Andrew Ehrenberg, Poly Prep

The junior seamlessly stepped into the role of ace with Morgan Gray missing time with an injury. Ehrenberg went 7-0 with a 0.79 ERA and 36 strikeouts. He got out of a bases-loaded jam in relief in the title game.

**Pitcher** Ian Miller, Berkeley Carroll

The Harvard-bound

Miller remained one of the city's top pitchers. His lone defeat came at the hands of Poly Prep during another stellar season on the mound. The senior was also one of the Lions' best hitters and run producers.

**Shortstop** Richie Palacios, Berkeley Carroll

The junior was as steady as they come at the plate and in the field. Palacios made just three errors all season at short, and kicked-started the offense in the leadoff spot. He hit .345 with a .440 on-base percentage.

**Shortstop** Anthony Prato, Poly Prep

The sophomore was instant offense and a sure fielder at shortstop. The speedy and athletic Prato was the catalyst to Poly's attack as the leadoff hitter. He batted .449 with 17 RBI, 40 runs scored, and 32 stolen bases.

**First baseman** Austin Ruiz, Telecommunications

Ruiz provided plenty of pop for Telecom. The junior batted .444 with 21 runs scored and a team-leading 27 RBI. Ruiz was also fine fielder at first, and an emotional and vocal leader for the Yellow Jackets.

**Third baseman** Anthony Scotti, Xaverian

Scotti was one of the city's top leadoff hitters, constantly on base by any means necessary. The junior hit 375 and stole 28 bases for the Clippers. He quietly went about his business and was a big reason Xaverian claimed the city title.

**Shortstop and Pitcher** Milo Sklar, Midwood

Sklar flew under the radar most of his career, but gained recognition as Midwood excelled this season. The senior hit .383 with 22 runs, scored 14 RBI and five doubles. He also grabbed two wins on the mound.

## Thanks Jason: Nets better off with Hollins

Dear Mr. Kidd, How's Milwaukee? I hear it's nice up there. I hope you have time to check out the Third Ward, go to a Brewers baseball game and visit the Harley Davidson Museum. Back in Brooklyn, we're doing just fine.

On behalf of Brooklyn Nets fans, I just want to take the time to send you this thank you note and wish you well. You have again made us a better organization. The first time it was by playing for us and leading the Nets to consecutive trips to the NBA Finals. This time it was by leaving and taking your ego to Milwaukee. It opened the door for Lionel Hollins to become our coach.

You won't be missed here in Brooklyn. Hollins is a breath of fresh air and, in my opinion, a better coach. He has 20 years of experience and comes off as a straight-shooting and well-mannered man. Hollins took the small market Memphis Grizzlies to the Western Conference finals in 2013. Imagine what he might do in the weak Eastern Conference.

Shipping you to Milwaukee also allowed the Nets to acquire second round draft picks in 2015 and 2019. Those are precious in this market. Nets and Knicks fans have seen plenty sent away over the years, but actually acquiring them? Wow. Thank you again for helping us to invest in our future.

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nization and to leapfrog general manager Billy King, it meant more power, prestige, security, and likely money if owner Mikhail Prokhorov had agreed to it. If denied, you'd land softly on your feet with pal and new Bucks owner and former financial advisor Marc Lasry. All the backstabbing and back dealing also cost former Bucks coach Larry Drew his job in a most unprofessional manner. Bravo.

Unlike you, the humble Hollins just wants to coach, and flat out said so. He is happy for the opportunity so few in this world get. Hollins isn't a headline stealer. He was embarrassed to have his face plastered on the Barclays Center's video billboard. Still, his press conference was a night at the Improve compared to the blandness you brought each time you were behind a microphone.

The Nets are better as an organization today than they were two weeks ago thanks to your departure. Best of luck in Milwaukee, and don't worry about us in Brooklyn. We will be sure to thank you once again next time you're in town.

## Moore

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around him and because of him. Moore also ran for 544 yards and four more scores. His two touchdowns and 191-yard performance

on a bad ankle in the city final was the highlight of the season.

"He makes things happen," O'Connor said.

He had a solid outing representing New York City in the Empire Challenge senior all-star game on June

25 at Hofstra University. Moore carried the ball four times for 37 yards and completed three of five passes for 24 more in New York City's 24-18 loss to Long Island. He has already more than proven himself, especially after his senior sea-

son. The size of his heart was the only thing that mattered.

"People always looked down on him because of his size his whole life," O'Connor said. "He epitomizes what we want to be about in this game."



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**Notice is hereby given** that an Order entered by the Civil Court, Kings County on 07/08/2014, bearing Index Number NC-000717-14/KI, a copy of which may be examined at the Office of the Clerk, located at 141 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, New York 11201, grants (me/us) the right to: Assume the name of (First) Syeda (Middle) Danya (Last) Kazmi. My present name is (First) Syeda (Middle) Danya (Last) Kazmi AKA Danya Kazmi AKA Syeda D Danya. My present address is 380 East 18th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11226-5770. My place of birth is Pakistan. My date of birth is March 10, 1995.

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY** given that an Order entered by the Civil Court, Kings County on 05/30/2014, bearing Index Number NC-000568-14/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) Nazli (Last) Rashid. My present name is (First) Marileida (Last) Rosa. My present address is 4112 Fort Hamilton Parkway, Brooklyn, NY 11219-. My place of birth is Bronx, N.Y. My date of birth is August 09, 1990.

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF KINGS** Deutsche Bank National Trust Company as Trustee on behalf of HSI Asset Securitization Corporation Trust 2007-NC1, Plaintiff, against Gregory Lawrence; et al., Defendant(s). Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly dated November 18, 2014 I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction in Room 224 of Kings County Supreme Court, 360 Adams Street, Brooklyn, New York 11201 on July 24, 2014 at 2:30PM, premises known as 9805 Flatlands Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11236 All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings

and improvements erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of NY, Section 24 Block 8186 Lot 8. Approximate amount of judgment \$696,056.26 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index# 15096/08. Sol Needle, Esq., Referee Shapiro, DiCaro & Barak, LLC Attorney(s) for the Plaintiff 175 Mile Crossing Boulevard, Rochester, NY 14624 (877) 759-1835 Dated: Dated: June 10, 2014 1098382 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 07/11/2014

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF SALE** Senior Homeowner Assistance Program 2012-1, Series I, in accordance with its rights as current secured party, will conduct a public sale of security: the proprietary lease and 32.30 shares of stock of TRUMP VILLAGE SECTION 3, INC. Said security is appurtenant to premises: located at 464 Neptune Avenue Apt 21E, BROOKLYN, NY 11224. Said sale includes the fixtures and articles of personal property now or hereafter affixed to or used in connection with said premises. The sale shall be on July 24, 2014 at 10:15 AM at the foot of the Courthouse steps, facing Adams Street, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, County of Kings, located at 360 Adams Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201. The secured party reserves the right to bid. The secured party makes no representations or warranties as to the title or premises being sold herein. The sale is subject to any conditions of transfer set by the cooperative corporation or its board, and subject to any tenants or occupants of the subject premises and the Terms of Sale to be read at the sale. Victor Rawner, Auctioneer, License # 1224356 ROSICKI, ROSICKI & ASSOCIATES, P.C. Attorneys for Secured

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Party Main Office 51 E Bethpage Road Plainview, NY 11803 516-741-2585

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**NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT - COUNTY OF KINGS NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANK**, as Successor in Interest to CFS BANK, Plaintiff against GUIDING LIGHT PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLIES, INC., ET AL., Defendants (Index No. 35234/2007) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale dated January 27, 2014, and duly entered herein, I will sell at public auction at KINGS COUNTY SUPREME COURT, 360 ADAMS STREET, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK 11201, IN ROOM 224 on THURSDAY, JULY 31, 2014 at 2:30 p.m., the premises known as 2527 Church Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11226 (Block 5090, Lots 70 and 71) and more particularly described as: ALL that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the northerly side of Church Avenue, distant 327. 16 feet Westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Church Avenue and the westerly side of Rogers Avenue; RUNNING THENCE Westerly along the northerly side of Church Avenue, 40.00 feet to the easterly side of land now or formerly by Byron; THENCE Northerly along the easterly Line of said Land of Byron, 119.82 feet to the center line of the block; THENCE Easterly along said center line of block, 40.00 feet; THENCE in a southerly direction, 120. ii feet to the northerly side of Church Avenue, the point or place of BEGINNING. Amount of judgment: \$359,857.64 plus interest, fees and costs. Dated: June 20, 2014 Helene Blank, Esq., Referee Forchelli, Curto, Deegan, Schwartz, Mineo & Terra-

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na, LLP Attorneys for the Plaintiff The Omni 333 Earl Ovington Blvd., Suite 1010 Uniondale, New York 11553

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**NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF KINGS, HSBC BANK USA AS TRUSTEE, Plaintiff, vs. FABRICE CHAMBLAIN, ET AL., Defendant(s).** Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly filed on November 03, 2010, and the Order dated May 22, 2014, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Kings County Supreme Court, Room 224, 360 Adams Street, Brooklyn, NY on August 07, 2014 at 2:30 p.m., premises known as 8522 Avenue M, Brooklyn, NY. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, Block 8076 and Lot 9. Approximate amount of judgment is \$409,859.48 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index # 1072/06. Andrea S. Morse, Esq, Referee Kozeny, McCubbin & Katz, LLP, 395 North Service Road, Suite 401, Melville, New York 11747, Attorneys for Plaintiff

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**SUPREME COURT - COUNTY OF KINGS EMC MORTGAGE LLC F/K/A EMC MORTGAGE CORPORATION**, Plaintiff against JOHN EBBECKE, KEVIN EBBECKE, et al Defendant(s). Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale dated April 21, 2014, and entered on April 30, 2014, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Kings County Court-house, 360 Adams Street, Room 224, Brooklyn, NY on the 24th day of July, 2014 at 2:30 PM premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of

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Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at a point in a line that is parallel with the easterly side of the property of the New York Consolidated Railroad Company, its predecessors and its successors and assigns, distant 640 feet easterly therefrom measured at right angles thereto, said point of beginning being also distant southerly 1,737.91 feet measured along the parallel line from the intersection of said parallel line with the southerly side of Neptune Avenue or the projection easterly thereof, said point of beginning is also the westerly side of private road known as Sea Air Avenue; being a plot 100 feet by 26.75 feet by 100 feet by 26.75 feet.

Block: 8715 Lot: 45 Said premises known as 3056 BRIGHTON 13TH STREET, BROOKLYN, NY Approximate amount of lien \$ 545,853.54 plus interest & costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed judgment and terms of sale. Index Number 9616/07. YOLANDA CORION, ESQ., Referee. Rosenberg & Estis, P.C. Attorney(s) for Plaintiff 733 Third Ave., 14th Flr New York, NY 10017 (\* BAY RIDGE - \*)

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**SUPREME COURT - COUNTY OF KINGS** FUJ WING LEUNG, Plaintiff against LI NA CHEN and GUO RONG CHEN, Defendant(s). Pursuant to an Interlocutory Judgment entered on May 25, 2012. I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction in Room 224 of the Kings County Courthouse, 360 Adams Street, Brooklyn, N.Y. on the 24th day of July, 2014 at 2:30 p.m. Said premises known as 1160 66th Street, Brooklyn, N.Y. 11219. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed judgment and terms of sale. Index No. 09884-10. Elena Ma-

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kau, Esq., Referee. Stephen K. Seung Attorney(s) for Plaintiff 2 Mott Street, Suite 601 New York, N.Y. 10013

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**At a Surrogate's Court** of the State of New York, County of Kings, at 2 Johnson Street, Brooklyn, New York on June 27, 2014

Present Hon. Margarita Lopez Torres, Surrogate In the Matter of Proving The Last Will and Testament of Roslyn Younger The petitions having produced proof to my satisfaction that the place or places of residence of any additional distributees, heirs at law and next of kin, legatees and devisees of said deceased, and to be cited upon the probate of the Last Will and Testament of Roslyn Younger deceased, if living are unknown, and cannot, after diligent inquiry, be ascertained an, if dead, that the names of their legal representatives, their husbands or wives, if any, distributees and successors in interest whose names or parts of whose names, and/or their place or places of residence, and of any and all unknown persons, distributees, heirs at law or next of kin, are unknown, and cannot, after diligent inquiry, be ascertained, and that personal service of the citation cannot with due diligence be made upon them within the State.

I DO HEREBY ORDER AND DIRECT that the service of the citation herein upon said any and all unknown persons whose name or parts of whose names, and whose place or places of residence are unknown, and cannot, after diligent inquiry, be ascertained, distributees, heirs at law and next of kin of said Roslyn Younger, and if any of the said distributees, heirs at law or next of kin of deceased by dead, their legal representatives, their husbands or wives, if any, distributees and successors in interest whose names and/or places of residence and post office addresses are unknown be made by publication thereof in a newspaper,

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to wit: The Bay News; CNG 1 Metrotech Center N., 10th Fl, Brooklyn, NY 11201, being a newspaper printed and published in the County of Kings, once in each of four successive weeks, which is the time I deem reasonable, and the mailing of citation is dispensed with. Hon. Margarita Lopez Torres, Surrogate

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO MERLON HAYNES**, whose whereabouts are unknown and who is the biological father of E.M.H and A.D.E.H., date of births, 02/07/2010 and 02/06/2008 and born in Tavares, Florida and Anchorage, Alaska to Lisa Haynes that a Petition for Adoption for each child was filed in the Palmer Superior Court, 435 E. Dahlia St, Palmer, Alaska 99645. (907) 746-8181. Adoption hearings have been scheduled for July 21, 2014 at 8:30 a.m. in Courtroom 7. If you are the biological father, you have the right to: 1) waive any paternal rights you may have; 2) relinquish and consent to the adoptions; 3) file a Notice of Objection to Adoptions or; 4) object to the adoptions in a proceeding before any Alaska court which has adjudicated you to be the biological father of the children prior to your receipt of notice. In order to waive your paternal rights, relinquish and consent to the adoption or receive additional information regarding the Adoptions E.M.H. and A.D.E.H, you must contact the undersigned agency. If you wish to object to the adoption and seek custody of the minor child you must seek legal counsel immediately. Your rights may be terminated and the Adoption granted if you do not respond. BY: Denali Law Group Jon-Marc Petersen 360 N Main St Wasilla, AK 99654 (907) 357-5297 Telephone

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**1525 E 66 LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 04/18/14. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1525 E 66 St., Brooklyn, NY 11234. General Purposes.

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**173 Housing LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 12/16/13. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 77A Stanhope St., Brooklyn, NY 11221. General Purposes.

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**Area Abstractors LLC.** Art. Of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 04/14/2014. Office in Kings Co. SSNY design. Agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 188 Franklin Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11205. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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**Conquering Well Enterprises LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 4/10/14. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1269 Decatur St #1A, Brooklyn, NY 11207. General Purposes.

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**Notice of Formation** of Bensonhurst Housing, L.P. Certificate filed with NY Dept. of State on 6/11/2014. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: 6323 7th Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11220, principal business address. Regd. agent upon whom process may be served: Bensonhurst GP Corp., 6323 7th Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11220. Name/address of genl. partner available from Sec. of State. Term: until 12/31/2064. Purpose: all lawful purposes.



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**CPT PROPERTIES LLC**, a domestic LLC, filed with the SSNY on 6/13/14. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to David Sofer, 1818 Newkirk Ave., Loby D, Brooklyn, NY 11226. General Purpose.

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**GARY DEWAAL AND ASSOCIATES, LLC**, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 09/25/2012. Office loc: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: C/O Mr. Gary Dewaal, 270 Jay St., 7h, Brooklyn, NY 11201. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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**Hyper LLC**. Art. of Org. filed w/ NY Sec. of State (SSNY) on 5/21/14. Office in Kings Co. SSNY designated agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to Hyper LLC, 147 Prince St, Brooklyn, NY 11201. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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**JULISSA CISNEROS LLC**, a domestic LLC, filed with the SSNY on 2/3/14. Office location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Julissa Cisneros, 209 24th St., Apt. 1L, Brooklyn, NY 11232. General Purpose.

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**KHALFAN LLC** Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 4/12/2001. Office in Kings Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to c/o A. Khalfan, 410 Morgan Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11211. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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**KIM PISTONE CATERING LLC** Art. Of Org. Filed Sec. of State of NY 06/05/2014. Off. Loc.: Kings Co. SSNY desig-

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nated as agent upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY to mail copy of process to The LLC, 454 3rd St., #4R, Brooklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

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**LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY** Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC) Name: PARALEX REALTY LLC Articles of Organization filed by the Department of State of New York on: 12/26/2013 Office location: County of Kings Purpose: any and all lawful activities. Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: 73 Main Street Tuckahoe, NY 10707

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**MANDO 1986 LLC**, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/10/2014. Office loc: Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: C/O Ahmed M Elsayed, 347 Melrose St., Brooklyn, NY 11237. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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**Name of LLC: Ev's Jerky LLC**. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State: 6/25/14. Office loc.: Kings Co. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: Business Filings Inc., 187 Wolf Rd., Ste. 101, Albany, NY 12205, regd. agt. upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful act.

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**Notice of Formation** of 141 Evergreen Realty, LLC . Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 02/13/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to:141 Evergreen Ave, Brooklyn, NY 11221. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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**Notice of Formation of 2812 Church Realty LLC**. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 6/17/14. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: 531 Montgomery St., Brooklyn, NY 11225. Purpose: all lawful purposes.

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**Notice of formation** of 4WJ, LLC. Art. Of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 04/22/14. Office in Kings County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 8801 Flatlands Ave Brooklyn, NY 11236. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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**Notice of Formation** of ANC Partners LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 4/25/14. Office location: Kings County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: 145 Saint Marks Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11238, principal business address. Purpose: all lawful purposes.

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**Notice of formation** of CORTLAND ACQUISITION LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/24/2011. Office location, County of Kings. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1035 East 27th St., Brooklyn NY 11210. Purpose: any lawful act.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of DELAURO CONSULTING LLC Arts. Of Org. Filed With The Sec'y Of State Of NY (SSNY) on 6/4/2014. Office Location: Kings County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

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SSNY shall mail a process to: 177 4th Ave. #2, Brooklyn, NY 11217. PURPOSE: ANY LAWFUL ACTIVITY.

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**Notice of Formation** of FRUITION ENTERPRISES, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/13/14. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: ESHOP ANGEL LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/23/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: EGG-SPECTATION BROOKLYN, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/05/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: David L. Cahn, Seven St. Paul Street, Suite 1300, Baltimore, MD 21202-1636. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: SPENCER WATERS LEGAL ASSOCIATES, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/27/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process

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against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: WILLIAM E. WATERS P.O. BOX 27041 BROOKLYN, NY 11202. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: EL VAGABUNDO BROOKLYN LLC. 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: C/O UNITED STATES CORPORATION AGENTS, INC. 7014 13TH AVENUE, SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: BON CHOVIE LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/28/2011. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 191 Adelphi Street, #2, Brooklyn, NY 11205. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: RED BLAZE MEDIA LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/09/2014. 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, 98 Prospect Park SW, Brooklyn, NY 11218. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**. NAME: CATHODE WORKS, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York

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(SSNY) on 05/16/14. 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 David Ablon, 103 14th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11215. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: 16 VERANDAH LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/13/2014. 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: Marjorie Frank, 16 Verandah Place, Brooklyn, NY 11201-6106. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: CYBER SHOP LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/01/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: SOGI'S HONEY BAKESHOP L.L.C. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/16/2014. 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: Sogoal Zolghadri, 185 India Street, Unit 1A, Brooklyn, NY 11222. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: 139 HOYT LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/21/2013. 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: Michael Edelman, 291 Union Street, Apt. 3B, Brooklyn, NY 11231. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: Moodohe USA LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/11/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**. NAME: RELEVE DESIGN LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/14/14. 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, 56 Court Street, 5C, Brooklyn, New York 11201. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: GULF - BRAVO LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/11/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

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SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, P.O. Box 407, Brooklyn, NY 11219. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: ART IN FACT LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/23/2013. 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, 440 Midwood Street, Apt. 2, Brooklyn, NY 11225. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: COLLOQUY BOOKS LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/19/2014. 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: Joseph Kampff, 12 Bay Ridge Place, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**Notice of Qualification** of 573 Fulton Partners, LLC. Authority filed with NY Dept. of State on 5/29/14. Office location: Kings County. Princ. bus. addr.: c/o RedSky Capital, LLC, 45 Main St., Ste. 628, Brooklyn, NY 11201. LLC formed in DE on 4/26/13. NY Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, regd. agent upon whom process may be served. DE addr. of LLC: 1209 Orange St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Cert. of Form. filed with DE Sec. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: all lawful purposes.



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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: SHEEP STONE LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/13/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: LOCOMBO - DE BONIS LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/22/2014. 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: Paul L. De Bonis, 316 814th St., Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: PHONESKIRT LLC. Art. of Org. filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/20/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: SIMPLEMASS LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/20/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of

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process to: Simplemass LLC, PO Box 290772, Brooklyn, NY 11229. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: SASSON REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/30/2014. 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: Sasson Real Estate Management, LLC, 1186 East 22nd Street, Brooklyn, NY 11210. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: THINKUM DINKUM GAMES LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/28/2014. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: C/O United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: DANA HOLMES MEDIA, L.L.C. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/09/2014. 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: Dana S. Holmes, 31 Broome Street - #3, Brooklyn, NY 11222. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** of limited liability company (LLC). Name: GULF PROPERTY N.A. LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 01/29/2014. Office location: Kings County.

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SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 2617 East 17th Street, Apt. 7C, Brooklyn, NY 11235. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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appliances, brand new  
parquet flrs, 4 bed rms,  
2.5 brand new baths  
over 4.5 rm rental with  
2 beds, fin basement,  
terrace, private drive &  
parking. Low \$700's  
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**MILL BASIN**  
Sun 7/13 1-3pm  
2536 East 64<sup>th</sup> Street  
Lovely 1 family, high  
ranch, 40x100, 4  
beds, 2.5 baths,  
large living room &  
dining rm, spacious  
yard, garage,  
**Asking \$700's**  
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**MILL BASIN**  
Sun 7/13/14 12-2pm  
484 Mayfair Dr South  
Brick mansion,  
detached 47X100,  
gorg custom built 1 fam,  
6 bds, 5 bths, lovely  
contemporary kit w/  
granite counters, mas-  
ter bed w/ private spa,  
fantastic entertainment  
rm, in-ground pool, prv  
parking, A must see!  
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**SEAGATE OPEN HOUSE**  
SUNDAY 7/13, 12-3 PM  
5115 SURF AVE.  
**PRIVATE GATED BEACH COMMUNITY**  
Beaut Det Energy Efficient  
Hi-Ranch on oversized lot.  
Bright & open floor plan  
w/ skylights, EIK & hi hats.  
New ceramic tile flrs, NEW  
thermal windows/ roof,  
upgraded insulation. New  
c/air, New laundry rm w/  
energy efficient W/D, New  
garage door w/ remote,  
New entry doors. Pvt drive,  
garage w/ street prking  
for guests. \$875,000.  
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**SHEEPSHEAD BAY OPEN HOUSE**  
SATURDAY 1-3 PM  
2800 BROWN ST.  
(Emmons Ave & Shore Pkwy)  
Great starter home! Newly  
renovated det 1 fam ranch.  
Kitchen w/new appliances,  
LR/DR combo, Full Bath,  
2 bdrms, laundry area  
w/ new W/D, new boiler  
& HWH. Prvt backyard.  
Walk to bay. \$329,000  
**Century 21 Homefront**  
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## MARINE PARK OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, July 13th,  
1:00-3:00pm  
2058 East 35th St.  
(btwn Ave S/T)  
Brick semi-det brick tudor,  
3 bedroom duplex & full fin  
bsmt. Modern bathrooms &  
kitchen, Jacuzzi,  
Central A&H, fully alarmed,  
hardwood floors, Corian  
countertops, new porch  
& sidewalk, and more...  
**718-336-0011**  
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**Marine Park**  
**OPEN HOUSE**  
Sun, July 13th  
12:00pm-3:00pm  
3908 Avenue S  
Det 2 fam 6+6+  
f/bsmt 40x100 pvt  
dr. 2 car gar.  
A-1 buy  
Excl. agt. on prem

## MARINE PARK OPEN HOUSE

SUN, JUL 13 1-3pm  
1664 KIMBALL ST  
GREAT LOCATION Fully  
deta 3 bdom duplex fea-  
tures a bath on every flr,  
shared drive & lovely  
bckyard. Renov fin bsmt  
boasts play rm, bdrm &  
3/4 bath. Must see!  
**Asking \$575,000**  
BB2032  
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## Marine Park (Prime) OPEN HOUSE

Sun. 1pm-3pm  
3715 Avenue R  
(E. 37th & E. 38th)  
**Complete Reno!!!**  
All new 1 famil attached  
brick house. 3 BR's & 1.5  
new baths. All new  
kitchen w/ ss appl's &  
granite. All new windows,  
hdwd, full fin bsmt.  
Everything is new!!  
Parking for 2 cars. Will  
not last!!  
**Wolf Properties Inc.**  
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## ► BROOKLYN OPEN HOUSE

**OLD MILL BASIN OPEN HOUSE**  
SATURDAY 7/12, 1-4 PM  
1492 EAST 52<sup>nd</sup> ST.  
(Btwn Ave L & Ave M)  
Beautifully Renovated 1 Family Brick Duplex Home,  
House In Miint Condition (Everything In House Re-  
done To Perfection). Feat: Open Floor Plan w/ Granite  
Kitchen Counters, Hardwood Floors, Stainless Steel  
Appliances, New Recessed Lighting, New Roof,  
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**MIDWOOD OPEN HOUSE**  
SUN, 7/13, 1-3PM  
2717 Avenue N  
Detached 33x100 3 story 4 BR large LR, DR, EIK, enclosed  
front porch, hardwood floors throughout, private driveway, lg  
rear yd, 1 car garage. MUST SEE!! PL1067..... \$980s

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SUN, 7/13, 1-3PM  
2717 Avenue N  
Detached 33x100 3 story 4 BR large LR, DR, EIK, enclosed  
front porch, hardwood floors throughout, private driveway, lg  
rear yd, 1 car garage. MUST SEE!! PL1067..... \$980s

**FLATBUSH OPEN HOUSE**  
SUN, 7/13, 1-3PM  
2154 Troy Avenue  
3 BR Semi-Det. Dup., lg  
LR, DR, EIK, full bsmt with  
½ bth, yd, gar., shared  
drv, handicapped acces-  
sible to 1st Flr. PL1316  
..... \$430s

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**OLD MILL BASIN OPEN HOUSE**  
SUN. 7/13, 1-3PM  
1567 East 45<sup>th</sup> St.  
5 BR Triplex, large FLR, DR, kitch-  
en, ½ bath on 1st Flr. 3 BR, full  
bath on 2nd Fl, 2 BR on 3rd Fl., fin.  
bsmt, yard. JB1260 ..... \$450's  
**GERRITSEN BEACH OPEN HOUSE**  
SUN, 7/13, 1-3PM,  
3120 Avenue W  
3 BR Duplex, LR, DR, kit., 2 full  
baths, full finished bsmt, rear  
deck, yard. RT1213.....\$430s

**SHEEPSHEAD BAY OPEN HOUSE**  
SUN. 7/13, 1-3PM,  
2725 East 27<sup>th</sup> St.  
2 Fam. Det. on 42x100! 3 Flrs - 2  
lg apts, full attic, 1 car gar, pvt  
drv, lg yd, semi-fin bsmt. Will be  
delivered vacant! WILL NOT  
LAST! PL1315 ..... \$1.1M  
**FLATLANDS OPEN HOUSE**  
SUN, 7/13, 1-3PM  
4710 Flatlands Avenue  
Mint! 2 Fam., lg lot, 2 BR over 2  
BR, full fin. bsmt, bth on every flr  
new boiler, new wtr htr, hdwd flrs,  
private parking. Won't Last!!!  
PL1250 ..... \$560s

## MARINE PARK OPEN HOUSE

SUN, JULY 13 1-3pm  
1634 EAST 33 ST  
Legal 2 fam can be an  
ideal 1 fam. Near wonder-  
ful schools, parks &  
Houses of Worship.  
Landlords apt is open &  
airy, mod kitchen & ren  
baths. Extra wide shared  
drive w 2 car garage.  
**ASKING \$599,000**  
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## MARINE PARK OPEN HOUSE

Sun, 7/13  
12-2 PM  
38-05 Ave P  
**A MUST SEE!!!**  
1 Family  
Semi-Detach Brick.  
3 Bedroom, 2.5 Bath,  
Full Finish Basement.  
Prvt Drvwy with Gar.  
**ASKING: \$650K**  
**HUNT REAL ESTATE:**  
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347-336-9522

## ► BROOKLYN OPEN HOUSE

**Sheepshead Bay**  
**OPEN HOUSE**  
Sun. July, 13th 12pm-4pm  
2145 Ford Street  
(Between Avenues U & V)  
1 Family House  
3 BR's, 2 Baths, Finished Basement.  
Parking for 2 cars. Move-in Condition  
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**Sheepshead Bay OPEN HOUSE**  
**SUN. 7/13, 1-3 PM**  
**2546 E.13<sup>th</sup> ST #B17**

Excellent 1 BDR apt in Atlantic Towers Co-op. Separate rooms, huge kitchen w/ window. Fully renovated tiled bathroom w/ window, foyer. Bldg w/ pool. Asking \$265K

**WILK R.E.**  
**Alex 347-276-0010**

**SHEEPSHEAD BAY OPEN HOUSE**  
**SUN. 7/13, 1-4 PM**  
**1625 EMMONS AVE. APT. #6K**

**THE VIKING**  
 Nice size 1 Bdrm, 1 Bath on top flr, open floor plan w/ new chefs kitch, cherry cabinets, SS applis, granite counters, hi hats, crown molding & hdwd floors, walk-in closet, fully tiled bath + 3 closets. Maint \$643. \$289,000

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**SHEEPSHEAD BAY OPEN HOUSE**  
**SUNDAY 12-2 PM**  
**4808 BEDFORD AVE #1D**

(Emmons Av/Shore Pkwy) Cozy 1 Bdrm 1st flr Condo. Large bdrm, lrg full bath, dining area. Very bright apt. Hardwd flrs thruout. 1 parking spot included. Steps to bay, shopping, restaurant. \$309,000



**Sheepshead Bay OPEN HOUSE**  
**Sunday 7/13, 2-4PM**  
**2270 Plumb 1<sup>st</sup> St Apt 1F**  
**(near Marine Park)**

3 Bdrm Co-op, move-in cond, eat-in kitchen with window, maint \$1025 incl heat, elec, taxes, near shopping, B1 & B3 buses, & X-bus NYC. No alternate parking regs. \$149,000

**Cappadora R.E.**  
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**646-284-0498**

## ► BROOKLYN OPEN HOUSE

**Sheepshead Bay OPEN HOUSE**  
**Sunday 7/13, 12-2PM**  
**2270 Plumb 1<sup>st</sup> St Apt 3D**  
**(near Marine Park)**

2 Bdrm Co-op, competely renovated, maint \$883 incl heat, elec, taxes, eat-in kitchen w/ window, near shopping, B1 & B3 buses, & X-bus NYC. No alternate parking regs. \$149,000.

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**SHEEPSHEAD BAY Sat., July 12<sup>th</sup> 1-3 PM**  
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 Large 1 Family Brick. Totally Remodeled with Custom Kit & Bath. Fully fin bsmnt, Prkng. A Real Must See!  
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**17 Emily Lane**  
**3 BRs, 1.5 Baths, w/ garage, located in the community**  
**\$350,000**

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**142-11 NEWPORT AVE.**  
**Grand Colonial!**



Beautifully situated on 60x100 park-like grounds. Home has 4 Bedrms, 2 Baths, formal DR, LR, den, EIK, lrg woodburning frplc, all orig wood moldings, full bsmt, wraparound front porch, pvt drvwy, great Rockaway Beach house!  
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## ► BROOKLYN PARKING

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**Mill Basin, 2 bdrm walk-up, MIC, 2nd flr. Garage + prkng, D/W, yard! \$1,650. Welcome Home Realty 718-513-0240**

**MILL BASIN/E.58<sup>th</sup> St. 2 bedrms, walk-in, \$1,350/month. ALSO, Marine Park/ Flatbush Ave, 2 bedrms over store, \$1300/month. Call 5-8PM 917-862-5214**

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**SHEEPSHEAD BAY Nostrand Ave-Beautiful 1BR walk-in split-level, LR, EIK w/C/T flrs, full bath. Hdwd flrs, painted. Heat incl. Near bay. \$1,200/mo. Century-21 Homefront, 718-252-6060**

**SHEEPSHEAD BAY Nostrand & Voorhies**  
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**SHEEPSHEAD BAY NEW ON MARKET**  
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**MARINE PARK EAST 37<sup>th</sup> ST.**  
 1 Family Fully Detached, 2 Bedrms, 1.5 Bath Dplx, Eat-In Kitch, Dining-Rm, New Roof, New Gas Htg System, Full Bsmt, Rear Yard w/ Pavers, Shed & Pool, Parking in Rear, 28'x100' Lot. This is the **Lowest Priced Detached Home in Marine Park!**  
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