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Bruce Peterson Selected Mayor

Bruce T. Peterson was selected Mayor at the Reorganization Meeting of the Township Committee in January. Bruce was elected in November to fill the two-year unexpired term on the Township Committee that was vacated due to the passing of Committeeman Ralph A. Cocove Sr. Bruce had previously served as a member of the Upper Deerfield Township Committee from November 1986 through December 1996. In 1997, Bruce began serving as a member of the Cumberland County Freeholder Board, from which he recently resigned to accept the vacated Township Committee position of Mayor Cocove.

James Crilley Deputy Mayor

James Crilley was elected to serve his fourth three year term on Township Committee in

November. At the Reorganization Meeting of the Township Committee in January, Jim was selected to serve as Deputy Mayor.

John O'Neill, Sr. Appointed to Committee

John "Terry" O'Neill, Sr. was appointed in January, to fill the one-year unexpired term on Township Committee that was vacated due to the resignation of Doug Rainear, who was elected as the Cumberland County Surrogate in November. Terry recently retired as Public Works Supervisor and had previously served as a member of the Township Committee in the eighties. We wish Doug Rainear well in his new job as Surrogate.

George E. Joyce, Jr. and John Daddario complete the Township Committee for 2009.

Township Receives Grant and Loan from USDA for Love Lane Water Treatment

Congressman Frank LoBiondo and Senators Frank Lautenberg and Robert Menendez announced that Upper Deerfield Township will receive a \$651,000 grant from USDA for the construction of the state mandated radionuclide treatment system at the Love Lane Water Treatment facility. The balance of the \$2.5 million project will be made available to the Township in the form of a 40-year fixed long-term loan at an interest rate of 3.125%. Mayor Bruce Peterson, on behalf of the Township Committee and its residents, thanked Congressman LoBiondo and Senators Lautenberg and Menendez for their efforts in helping secure the funding from USDA. "The grant and low interest loan will help reduce the costs for the users for the required upgrades to

the water system," Peterson said.

The Township will be requesting bids for the Love Lane Water project in March, with construction scheduled to begin in the spring of 2009. The radionuclide problem is surfacing at most water treatment facilities throughout the State. It is anticipated that the treatment system will be operational by the end of summer 2009.

Engineering plans and designs have been submitted to the State DEP for their review and approval for the State and court ordered improvements to the Seabrook Water System. The plans should be approved soon and the Township will begin the bid process for the Seabrook System once the funding mechanism for the Seabrook project is in place.

Grier Lane to be Paved with NJ Transportation Grant

The Township has received approval for a grant from the New Jersey Department of Transportation to repave Grier Lane. The \$267,000 grant to overlay Grier lane is provided through the State of New Jersey Transportation Trust Grant.

Upper Deerfield Community Day Family Fun Set For Sat., April 25

Upper Deerfield will be celebrating its annual Community Day on Saturday, April 25, 2009 from 10-4 pm, with a rain date on April 26th from 12 - 4 pm. Come join us for a day of family fun with music, food, rides, information displays, crafts and tours of Seabrook Brothers and Sons, Centerton Nursery and Seabrook Educational and Cultural Museum!!!!

Businesses and organizations may participate in the activities by becoming a craft or business vendor, setting up an information booth or selling food. If your organization wishes to participate, please contact Cindy Kakoda at 856-455-3121 or Roy Spoltore at the Municipal Building at 856-451-3811. For food vendor information, contact Carol Kinkade at 856-451-1177.

Application forms for vendor space are available at the Municipal Building or on the Township website - www.upperdeerfield.com. If you would like to serve on the committee or volunteer to help at the event, please contact us by email at info@upperdeerfield.com or phone 451-3811.

Confirmed activities include performances by the Woodruff School Band and Chorus, the



Minyo Dancers, the Hoh Daiko Drummers, Jack Neff Band, BMX Bike and Street Bike Show, Inflatable Rides, Pony Rides, Petting Zoo, Costume Characters and Professional Mascots "Swoop", "Splash", "Boomer" and "Rocky Bluewinkle".

Many other activities are planned, check the website for updates.

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!



Free Cycle Action Sports

Convenience Center Saves \$10,000 the Past Six Months

Committeeman George Joyce reports that the Township saved approximately \$10,000 at the Convenience Center between July and December 2008, by strictly enforcing a rule requiring Township residents to get a sticker in order to utilize the Convenience Center. Through this enforcement, the Township reduced the number of loads that were hauled to and disposed of at the Cumberland County Landfill. There were 31 less loads taken to the Landfill in 2008, at an average savings of \$325 per load during this six month period than during the same time period in 2007.

In order to prevent spillage onto roadways or elsewhere, residents are reminded they must have a tarp over unsecured bags or containers if they are transporting trash to the Convenience Center by a pick up truck or on an open trailer.

UPDATES & NOTICES

Love Lane Railroad Crossing Upgrade

The Love Lane Railroad Crossing is tentatively scheduled to be upgraded over the weekend of April 17th to the 20th as part of the New Jersey Department of Transportation's railroad crossing upgrades for 2009. Love Lane will be closed to thru traffic during the weekend while the crossing is completely reconstructed.

Leaf Collection Finished Until October

Township Leaf Collection has concluded until October. Township residents may bring any remaining leaves to the Convenience Center and dispose of them in the grass and leaf container.

Message From The Dog Registrar:



Reminder: The Dog Census canvassing in your neighborhood is nearing completion. Please register your dog before the end of April, so you do not get assessed a late fee.

- Spayed / Neutered.....\$10.00
- Non-Spayed / Non-Neutered\$13.00

Starting May 1, 2009, a late charge of \$10.00 will be assessed.

- Spayed / Neutered.....\$20.00
- Non-Spayed / Non-Neutered.....\$23.00

HOUSING AND ZONING DEPARTMENT

PHONE: 856-455-9591

REMINDERS

SMOKE and CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS

Install new batteries in your smoke and carbon monoxide detectors.

HOUSE NUMBERS

For 911 purposes, those of you who do not have your house number on your house or on a 4 x 4 post in front of your house please do so this spring. This is very important for Emergency Services to find your house.

YARD CLEAN-UP

With spring time around the corner, it's time to begin yard clean-up.

This includes removing trash, leaves, brush, tires and untagged motor vehicles and of course cutting the lawn.

2010 U.S. Census Bureau Needs Workers

The 2010 U.S. Census Bureau is now recruiting for the following positions: Office Clerk, Administrative Assistant, Recruiting Assistant, Crew Leader, Assistant Crew Leader and Enumerator. If you are interested in Full Time or Part Time Work call their Toll Free number to be scheduled for a basic skills test: 1-866-861-2010.

Tarps Required for Pick Ups and Utility Vehicles When Transporting Trash, Brush or Garbage

Township Ordinance requires that if trash, brush or garbage is to be transported on any public street in the Township, must be contained in a covered, leakproof vehicle. The purpose of the ordinance is to prevent trash from being windblown and littering Township roadways and private properties. The Township has tarps available for Township residents for your pick up or utility vehicle at the Municipal Building. Pick up a tarp and Help Prevent Littering from occurring in the Township.

Cumberland County Health Department

Rabies Clinic Schedule - Spring 2009

- Saturday March 21** • Cumberland County Fairgrounds.... 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Carmel Road, Millville
- Saturday March 28** • Bridgeton Fire Hall 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Orange Street, Bridgeton
- Hopewell Municipal Bldg..... 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
590 Shiloh Pike, Bridgeton
- Saturday April 4** • Fairfield Municipal Building 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Route 553, Fairton

Cumberland County residents may go to any clinic on the list. You do not have to live in the township in which the clinic is held. If animals have been vaccinated for rabies any time in the past, pet owners should bring proof of prior rabies shots. Dogs must be in a cage or on a leash. Cats must be in a cage, on a leash, or in a cat bag. Neither the municipality nor the County Health Department is responsible for animals that get away. For more information call the Health Department at 856-327-7602.

Planning Board Update

Goals for 2009

The Planning Board is pleased to report that they have completed and submitted the following items which were on their project list for 2008 to the Township Committee for review.

- Revised Sign ordinance
- Revised (low glare) Lighting ordinance
- Plan for Redevelopment/ Rehabilitation of a Southern section of the Township
- The Reexamination of the Master Plan, was discussed in 2008 and will come back to the Board for additional discussion and a Public Hearing.

A short list of Planning Board projects for 2009, are as follows:

- Adoption of Redevelopment/ Rehabilitation plan South
- Farmland Preservation Plan (as soon as we receive word back from the State Agriculture Development Committee on our submitted plan)
- Ordinance Revisions as submitted to the PB by the Environmental Commission.
- Master Plan Reexamination Study (continuation).

The Planning Board looks forward to seeing you at their meetings, which begin at 7 PM on the second Monday of each month (regular meeting) and the third Monday (work session). Your comments and concerns are welcomed by the Board.

Call 856-451-3811 if interested in volunteering your time to serve your community.



Business Spotlight on TBI Unlimited

TBI Unlimited is a Landscape contracting firm offering consulting, design and the installation of exterior living spaces.



TBI Unlimited has over twenty years of horticultural knowledge & experience, and ten plus years of reputable service in the landscape/hardscape industry. The company specializes in Landscape Design & Installation, Patio & Walkway Hardscaping, Retained Wall Construction, Stone-veneer Facing, Pond & Stream Development, Home & Landscape Illumination, Garden Structures, Irrigation Management and Turf Management.

Contact Proprietor Bill Taylor for a consultation on a project you may be considering, visit their website at www.TBIunlimited.com or email them at info@tbiunlimited.com. TBI Unlimited is located at 10 Old Burlington Road or call them at 856-455-7832.

If you would like to have your business featured in a future edition of the Township Newsletter, please submit information about your business to info@upperdeerfield.com.

ASK HEDY

Q Now that winter is almost over, we are finding potholes in our streets. I do not want to sound like a complainer, but how can I help remedy the situation?

A First, if you see that the pothole is not being patched, please call the Township Building and ask to speak to me. I assure you that the

information will get to the proper person and the pothole will be filled. Some roads in the Township are maintained and the responsibility of the County or the State. HOWEVER, a problem can not be fixed if the proper authority is not aware of the situation. You need to apprise us of the problem. We all need to work together to make the Township the best it can be.

Please call 451-3811 and ask for Hedy.

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UPPER DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP HISTORIC COMMISSION PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST RULES

Entry Deadline April 7th

- Entrants must submit their own work. Entries must be 5" x 7" or larger prints suitable for public exhibition and subject matter must pertain to Upper Deerfield Township. Photos must be mounted on foamcore or mat board. Photos may be color or black & white.
- The following information must accompany each entry: Title of photo; Photographer's name, address, phone number, place photo was taken. Attach this information on the back of photo. No signatures permitted on front of photos.
- Photographs and entry forms must be delivered to the Upper Deerfield Township Municipal Building, 1325 Highway 77, PO Box 5098, Seabrook, NJ 08302 by April 7, 2009.
- Age categories are: Adult, age 16 and over; Junior, age 15 and under.
- There will be 1st, 2nd and 3rd place prizes awarded in each age category. 1st prize is \$100; 2nd prize is \$75; and 3rd prize is \$50. Photos will be displayed and prizes awarded during Upper Deerfield Township Community Day on Saturday, April 25.

Something To Think About

A University of Washington news article quotes *Children and Nature* (2002) co-editor Peter H Kahn, Jr., as saying, "People take the natural environment they encounter during childhood as the norm against which they measure environmental degradation later in their life. With each ensuing generation, the amount of environmental degradation increases, but each generation takes that degraded condition as the normal experience."

With that being said, how will children – tomorrow's adults – who have no connection to nature, be able to make informed recommendations and/or decisions on protecting clean water, air quality, and wildlife planning?

~ Submitted by the Upper Deerfield Environmental Commission



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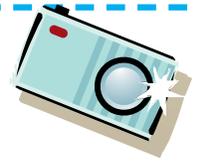
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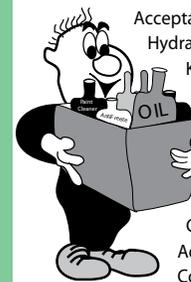
Age Category (check one) Adult (16 yrs & up) Junior (15 yrs. & under)

Photo Release: I understand that the photographs entered in this contest will become the property of Upper Deerfield Township. Prints will not be duplicated without permission but can be displayed for public viewing in municipally owned buildings.

Signature (required): _____ Date _____

Clean-Up Days

Household Hazardous Waste and Electronics Recycling Day



Acceptable Items: Used Motor Oil, Hydraulic Oil, Transmission Fluid, Kerosene, Diesel Fuel, and Heating Oil. Please do not mix with Gasoline or Chlorinated Solvents.

Also acceptable are: Oil-Based Paints, Paint Cleaners, Stains, Finishes, Batteries, Cleaning Compounds, Pesticides, Herbicides, Adhesives, Garden Chemicals, Corrosives, Poisons, Car Batteries, Anti-Freeze, Propane Tanks, and More!

Limited To 150 lbs or 20 Gallons Maximum Per Trip.

Acceptable Items: Computers, Monitors, VCR'S, Keyboards, Servers, Terminals, Telephones, Laptop Computers, Televisions, Printers, Stereos, Computer Wire, and Mouse Controllers.

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Happy 10 Years Senior Center

The Edgar Joyce Senior Center started its 10 year anniversary in January with a month full of activities. New Years came in with a lot of laughing, dancing and food. From the hats and noisemakers to the Congo line, everyone enjoyed the start of 2009.

On January 15th, all present were entertained by the music of our own nurse, Karen Elwell and Becky Sabota who started our month long celebration. Bernie Gilliard took top honors by winning the 2nd annual Harry Garrison Memorial Pinochle Tournament. Dorothy Greco took second place. Misono Miller and Melissa Clifton acknowledged our 34 volunteers with certificates from the County Office on Aging. Without the tremendous help and influence of our volunteers our center would not be so much fun and well run. Big round of applause to them.

The Center was transformed into a "Winter Wonderland" on January 26th for the senior prom. The "Journeymen" provide entertainment to start off the yearly event. Herman Evans Jr., Walt Fogle and Harry Putman are always a welcome trio at the Center. We ended our celebration with a packed house. We had the pleasure to have a guest appearance of the "Buckshutem Gang". This great local band had everyone's foot a-tapping. All in all I think we'll be around for another ten years at least.

The winter session has started and is in full swing, but there is still room for more. If any of the classes or activities strikes your fancy, stop by and check us out. Our next brochure goes out the end of April for the spring session. We don't just party at the Senior Center, as our exercise programs are designed especially for seniors and their capabilities. Don't forget our walking club for those who don't want to walk alone. Remember you don't have to sit home alone come, spend time with us. We promise that you will smile a lot.

As always, a note from Kim:
What did the stamp say to the envelope?
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Bringing in the new year with friends from the Senior Center.



Melissa from the Cumberland County Office on Aging congratulates Ruby Click as one of the 34 volunteers.



17 of the 34 Senior Center volunteers were honored at a volunteer luncheon in January.



Enjoying the celebration at the New Year's party which included singing and dancing.



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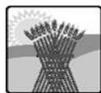


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Lucy Sparacio & Willie Erianne Retire

Lucy Sparacio retired December 31st, after 31 years of employment for Upper Deerfield Township. During her years of service to Upper Deerfield Township, Lucy performed the duties of Administrative Secretary/Deputy Court Administrator working in every department within the Township for the first 17 years and for the past 14 years Lucy served

as Upper Deerfield Township Court Administrator.

Lucy Sparacio was a past president of the Cumberland County Court Administrators, is a member of the South Jersey Court Administrators, State of New Jersey Court Administrators, the Red Hatters and a former member of the Bridgeton Lions Club. Lucy is married to

Gasper Sparacio, and they have one son and two grandchildren.

William "Willie" J. Erianne also retired December 31st. During his 23 years of service to Upper Deerfield Township, Willie performed various duties throughout his years of employment.

Willie Erianne also served our country during World War II in the United States Navy from 1944 to 1945 and in the United States Air Force from 1948 to 1950. Willie Erianne is a member of the Fifth Ward Club, VFW, Italian American Civic Club and was a past member of the American Legion. Willie is married to Dora, and they have a son, daughter and one grandchild.

We thank Lucy and Willie for their years of dedicated service to the Township and wish them our warmest congratulations, gratitude and



Lucy and Township Judge Paul Kienzle at her retirement

happiness on their retirement and future endeavors.



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2009 MEETING DATES

January7 & 15
February5 & 19
March5 & 19
April2 & 16
May7 & 21
June4 & 18
July2 & 16
August6 & 20
September3 & 17
October1 & 15
November5 & 19
December3, 17 & 30
Re-Organization Meeting
January 7, 2010
The year end meeting on
December 30, 2009 will be at 3:00 P.M.

Mayor
Bruce T. Peterson

Deputy Mayor
James P. Crilley

Committeeman
John L. Daddario

Committeeman
George E. Joyce, Jr.

Committeeman
John T. O'Neill, Sr.

Solicitor
Theodore E. Baker

Engineer
Brian Murphy

Clerk
Roy J. Spoltore

PLANNING BOARD MEETINGS

Meetings are held at 7:00 P.M.
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2009 MEETING DATES

January 12 & 21
February 9 & 18
March 9 & 16
April 13 & 20
May 11 & 18
June 8 & 15
July 13
August 10
September 14 & 21
October 14 & 19
November 9 & 16
December 14
Re-Organization Meeting
January 11, 2010
Second Meeting of each month is a
Workshop Session

Board Members

Chairman
Bruno Basile

Vice Chairman
Edward Overdeest

Bruce T. Peterson
John T. O'Neill, Sr.
Edward Fleetwood, Jr.
Jody Hirata
Ernest Dooley Holt
Eugene Stoms

Alternates
Horace Cinghina,
Robert Comer

Solicitor - Brock Russell
Planner - Louis Joyce, IV
Engineer - Robert DuBois
Secretary - Vicki Vagnarelli



ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Meetings are held at 7:00 P.M. at the Municipal Building, State Highway 77, Seabrook, NJ

2009 MEETING DATES

January 26
February 23
March 23
April 27
May 26
June 22
July 27
August 24
September 28
October 26
November 23
Re-Organization Meeting
January 25, 2010

Board Members

Chairperson
Ken Lechner

Vice-Chairperson
David Dean

Peggy Barrickman
Helen Elwell
Pauline Smith
Jeremy Warburton
Jack Waselik

Alternates
Gary Barbeck
Robert Whitesell

Secretary
Teresa Warburton

Solicitor
Theodore Ritter

Planner
Louis Joyce, IV

Engineer
Robert DuBois

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE - INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

Meetings are held at 7:00 P.M. at the Municipal Building, State Highway 77, Seabrook, NJ

2009 MEETING DATES

January 27
February 24
March 24
April 28
May 26
June 23
July 28
September 22
October 27
November 24
Re-Organization Meeting
January 26, 2010

Commission Members

Chairperson
Edward Overdevest

Vice-Chairperson
David M. Trout

Treasurer
Douglas Howard

Brent Hankins
Leigh Marcello
Dr. John McGlynn
Russell Vanella

Secretary
Terry Stiles

Economic Development Consultant

Cumberland Development Corp
Tony Stanzione, Exec. Director



ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

Meetings are held at 7:00 P.M. at the Municipal Building, State Highway 77, Seabrook, NJ

2009 MEETING DATES

January 8
February 4
March 4
April 1
May 6
June 3
July 1
August 5
September 2
October 7
November 4
December 2
Re-Organization Meeting
January 6, 2010

Commission Members

Chairman
Blake Maloney

Vice-Chairperson
Sandy Morrissey

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Meetings are held at 7:00 P.M. at the Municipal Building, State Highway 77, Seabrook, NJ

2009 MEETING DATES

September 8
October 6
October 27
Veteran's Day Program
November 7

Committee Members

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Frank Tyler

SHADE TREE ADVISORY

Meetings are held at 7:00 P.M. at the Municipal Building, State Highway 77, Seabrook, NJ

2009 MEETING DATES

January 21
February 18
March 18
April 15
May 20
June 17
September 16
October 21
November 18
Re-Organization Meeting
January 20, 2010

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2009 Directory of Officials

RECREATION COMMISSION

Meetings are held at 7:00 P.M. at the Little League Complex, 56 Hoover Road, Seabrook, NJ

2009 MEETING DATES

January 5
February 2
March 2
April 6
May 4
June 1
September 14
October 5
November 2

Re-Organization Meeting
January 4, 2010

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Meetings are held at 7:00 P.M. at the Municipal Building, State Highway 77, Seabrook, NJ

2009 MEETING DATES

January 20
February 10
March 10
April 7 & 21
May 12
September 8
October 13
November 10
December 8

Re-Organization Meeting
January 12, 2010

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Meetings are held at 7:00 P.M. at the Municipal Building, State Highway 77, Seabrook, NJ

2009 MEETING DATES

January 26
February 23
March 30
April 27
May 26
June 29
July 27
August 31
September 28
October 26
November 30

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| January | 5 | 12 | 26 |
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All sessions are held on Mondays at 2:00 PM.

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Why does fertilizer help your grass in the fall? During September and October, foliage growth slows down and the plants focus on root development and storing carbohydrates for the months ahead. That's the most effective time--indeed the ONLY time--to fertilize.

To Protect Our Waterways, Nix The Phosphorus

When you do fertilize, be sure to choose phosphorus-free fertilizer, one that has a middle number of zero such as 10-0-5. Unless your soil test indicates it, you don't need to add phosphorus--most soils have plenty of it occurring naturally.

Phosphorus is one the worst pollutants we have in Upper Deerfield. It causes algae growth in our streams, lakes and the Cohansay River.



Rotting Algae And Dead Fish

Have you taken a good look at Sunset Lake in August? You'll see broad patches of rotting algae, tangling fishing lines, clogging canoe paddles and sucking the oxygen from the water. Occasionally, you'll see fish leaping up in a frenzy, gasping for oxygen. The dead and dying fish wash up on the lake shore and sometimes the beach has to be closed because of pollution.

This pollution has a primary cause: too much phosphorus washing down into the streams and storm drains from everyone's fertilized yards and aging septic systems. It doesn't take much. Just one pound of phosphorus can produce 10,000 pounds of algae.

Some NJ municipalities have ordinances requiring the use of phosphorus-free fertilizers. Upper Deerfield doesn't have such an ordinance--yet. We depend on the voluntary cooperation of homeowners in controlling this damaging pollutant.

PLEASE FERTILIZE RESPONSIBLY.
Help prevent phosphorus pollution in Upper Deerfield!

- Both stories submitted by the Upper Deerfield Environmental Commission



Think Twice Before You Toss That Plastic Bag

According to the US Environmental Protection Agency the average American throws out nearly five pounds of trash a day! It often times includes recyclables such as cans and glass that shouldn't be in there in the first place. Sometimes trash makes its way into the recycling bins and can contaminate the contents and make recycling impossible.

Household waste is usually transported to incinerators or landfills, where it is buried and left to disintegrate. But some materials are here to stay forever and will never break down because they don't biodegrade completely. U.S. residents threw out 380 billion plastic bags a year we get in supermarkets or retail establishments which will take years to disintegrate in a landfill.

Take your used plastic bags to your nearest major super market for recycling.

By using recyclable plastic bags you can help cut down that number. Check to see if your local stores are using recyclable plastic bags, which will have a recycling logo on the bottom of the bag. You will be surprised to see how many businesses are in fact using recyclable bags. Even the plastic bag that your newspaper is delivered in is recyclable!

Non-disposable tote bags are also becoming more and more popular. Stop by our display at the Upper Deerfield Community Day on April 25th and receive a free tote bag from the Upper Deerfield Environmental Commission.

Take a look at the list below to see how long it takes for material to break down.

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| Aluminum Cans..... | 500 YEARS | Plastic Bottles..... | INDEFINITELY |
| Plastic Bags..... | 10 - 20 YEARS | Plastic Six Pack Holder..... | 100 YEARS |
| Glass Bottle..... | 1,000 YEAR | Common Styrofoam | INDEFINITELY |
| Nylon Fabric | 30 - 40 YEARS | | |

Take Action: Simple Things You Can Do

- Think twice about taking a plastic bag if your purchase is small and easy to carry.
- Keep canvas bags in your home, office, and car so you always have them available when you go to the supermarket or other stores.

Challenge Yourself and Others

Try to go at least one week without accumulating any new plastic bags. If every shopper took just one less bag each month, this could eliminate the waste of millions of bags each year.





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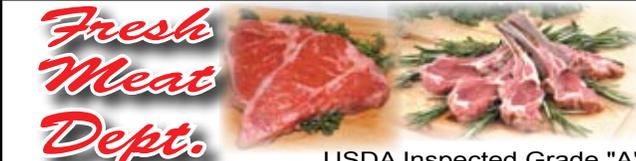
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WOODRUFF SCHOOL NEWS

If It's Not Broken, Then Why Fix It?

By: Danielle Heimbach

Cumberland Regional High School has undergone a few changes in 2009 that will affect the Class of 2013. The evening schedule registration is a great example. Traditionally, parents of the students would come to the student's middle school during the day and meet with a CRHS counselor there. This posed a bit of a problem for some of the parents who had to leave work to attend. To solve these complications, the class registration was held in the evening at CRHS. Problem solved, right? Yes, but a new problem is faced. There are many parents who must wake up early the next day. Being out late on a weekday is a struggle for parents and students alike. Also, transportation to CRHS may be a problem for some families. There just may not be any perfect solution for the class selection process. Another new idea being tested for 2009 is a system where freshman will not have any academic classes with older students. Being a freshman is scary enough without the thought of being in classes with sophomores, juniors, and even seniors! This is why the new plan may be beneficial to the incoming freshman. Finally the removal of shop from the course list is a change for 2009. For all of the freshman who wished to continue their interest in shop throughout high school, this opportunity has been stripped.

Change can be for the better or worse. In some ways these changes are for the better; some they are for the worse. The main question is why there was change in the first place. The CRHS freshman will be able to answer this question when these things have been tested out.

Mr. Frio's Song of History

By: Jimmy Snow

Do you ever wake up wanting to go to school? With this new way of learning, you just might. My teacher, Mr. Frio, is teaching Woodruff School 8th graders by song. The song is called *Who Discovered It?* The helpful thing about teaching through song is every-

one tends to memorize lyrics. It goes over Native American tribes, explorers, and even the New World. Outstanding it is, and it helps throughout the year. *Who Discovered It?* connects with kids, and it is music from this time, hip hop.

Ask your son or daughter if they are about this song technique and if they are being instructed through song. Mr. Frio did a wonderful thing by teaching students another way to learn. *Who Discovered It?* You could discover it!

1 out of 100: Upper Deerfield's Very Own Brianna Sirota

By: Johnathan Morris

Out of the 100 extremely talented middle school musicians that tried out for the All South Jersey Band, Upper Deerfield's very own Brianna Sirota passed the audition with flying colors. The All South Jersey Band is filled with students from 6th to the 9th grade. This is a very big accomplishment for Brianna.

Thirteen-year-old Brianna Sirota tried out with a college level piece titled "Aria's Scherzo." She also had to perform a Diatonic scale and a Chromatic scale all from memory. Brianna is great at site reading, performing a piece of music without practicing, reading, or even knowing the tune of the song you are playing. This skill surely shined through during her try out.

On March 8th All South Jersey Band will be having a big concert at a local high school. Woodruff School is proud to have a talented young woman like Brianna perform in this special event. For more information, log on to www.sjbod.org.

Woodruff at the 76ers Game

By: Mariela Cifuentes

On Tuesday, February 4th, Woodruff Middle School's band, cheerleaders, and basketball players attended a 76ers game at the Wachovia Center in Philadelphia. The 76ers played against the Boston Celtics.

At the Wachovia Center, where the 76ers home arena has been since 1996, the Woodruff band and cheerleaders performed center stage for the pre-game show under the direction of

Woodruff's music teacher, Mr. Spencer Lau. The Woodruff basketball teams and some other Woodruff students cheered on the band and cheerleaders as they did their spectacular performance. Woodruff has been participating in a 76ers game every year for the last five years. This year the band played some songs including "Hey Song." After their performance, the Woodruff students got to relax and watch the game. In addition, they all received all-you-can-eat food.

The students enjoyed the 76ers game very much. In fact, some people say that this game was one of the most exciting games of the 76ers season so far this year. The Woodruff students have been working hard this year and deserved to enjoy this fine game. Hopefully, Woodruff students will be able to perform center court for years to come.

Introducing Woodruff School's Very Own Mr. Lau

By: Johnathan Morris

Although he has been here only a few short years, Mr. Spencer Lau has taken the Music Department of Woodruff School to the next level. Mr. Lau began his band career in Woodruff School with only a handful of students. As the years progressed, it was clear that interest in the band program was beginning to grow. Now the Woodruff band has more than seventy-five students participating in a variety of different areas. These include concert band, marching band, jazz band, pep band, and wind ensemble.

By participating in these different groups, students have been able to perform in many places. The marching band plays in the Bridgeton Christmas parade, performs yearly as the pre-game show for the 76ers basketball game, and has competed in the Hershey's Music in The Park competition winning first place both years. As well, the students play for basketball games at Woodruff and two concerts each year. You would think Mr. Lau's days are full but band isn't all he is involved in. He also heads the Ace Music classes. The choir performs in

a spring concert, but their main project each year is to perform in a musical. Each winter they hold a dessert theater performing their musical. Some of the past musicals have included: Cinderella, Oklahoma, Annie Jr., and Mulan Jr.

Not only is Mr. Lau in charge of the music department, but he takes the role as the Athletic Director in Woodruff School. You can see him participating in the Almost Anything Goes night sponsoring students and kids against drugs. Once every other Friday he holds a Good Eats Club on Activity Day. He teaches you how to prepare meals that are not only quick to make, but they are healthy, too. Mr. Lau is a definite asset to our school, and we are grateful he is here with us!

Run Against Drugs

By: Kaylin Webster

Thousands of newspapers are published each day. Each having many interesting articles in them about all different topics. You can learn so much from reading a newspaper. You can learn about politics, crimes, sports, and everything else going on. That's why I think the upcoming "Run Against Drugs" should be one of the several articles in the paper.

The "Run Against Drugs" bring people from all over the community together. Even families from different communities come. This includes people from Hopewell, Shiloh, and some even all the way from Ocean City! Being together and social with other people is very important. Also, it keeps kids from getting into trouble. Students have a positive attitude about the "Run Against Drugs". Most importantly, it gives the students at Woodruff something to look forward to every year.

In conclusion, this would be an excellent topic for news. The "Run Against Drugs" is a Woodruff tradition. It has been going on for seventeen years and hopes to continue for many more years. This being put in the paper would give people a reason to think about Upper Deerfield. When people hear our name, they will automatically think great things!

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| 8 | 9 02:00 PM Municipal Court 07:00 PM Planning Board Meeting | 10 07:00 PM Historical Committee Meeting | 11 | 12 07:00 PM Cumb. Reg. H.S. Board of Ed. Meeting | 13 | 14 09:00 AM - 11:00 AM Rabies Clinic Public Works Building |
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March 2009

Upper Deerfield Township

Monthly Planner

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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| UPPER DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP CONVENIENCE & RECYCLING CENTER PHONE: 451-5864 OPEN: TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY 8:00 AM TO 5:00 PM - DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME | | | 1 07:00 PM Environmental Commission Meeting | 2 07:00 PM Twp. Committee Meeting | 3 | 4 |
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Elizabeth Moore School is on the Move

The Elizabeth Moore School, offering a variety of educational enrichment activities, has plans for yet another exciting year of learning and adventure. In October, the Moore School fifth grade students attended their traditional visit to the Hagley Museum where they traveled back in time to learn about life in the 1800's. In March, fourth and fifth grade students in Moore School are offered the opportunity to participate in Nutrition Education and an After School Fitness Club through the South Jersey Health Program/Garden AHEC. Our physical education teacher, Mrs. Julia Walton, is coordinating this program. The Nutrition Education Program offers the students basic nutrition fundamentals.



Mrs. Miranda's class is inspired by the Philadelphia Eagles

The Moore School had an exciting end to 2008, learning about the election process, and then being able to watch a historical election and inauguration. Ms. Ogata's classroom prepared an outstanding bulletin board filled with information about the election; while Mrs. Jones spearheaded the mock elections. The 5th grade participated in the election process by practicing their persuasive writing in a contest. The students wrote essays to Ms. Berrios, the building principal, trying to persuade her on who she should vote for in the presidential election. The winners of the contest were Jenni Brown and Andrew DiJoseph.



E.F. Moore students are challenged to do their civic duty... Get out and vote!

As many of our students are devoted sports fans, there were many opportunities this year to involve our Philadelphia sports teams in the learning process. The Phillies and the Eagles were great inspiration for educational activities.

The kick off to our black history month included a visit by the Buffalo Soldiers. This is an organization that honors the 9th Calvary African American Army regiment and their contributions to the Civil War.



Buffalo Soldiers visit Elizabeth Moore School



Also, fourth and fifth grade teachers taught American History and created door displays that featured the contributions of African Americans. All the doors were wonderful and the contest was won by Mr. Weist's class with the creation of a poster-sized newspaper. Parents came in and voted for their favorite door. We really enjoyed having parents involved in our activity, giving them a chance to see first hand the outstanding student creativity.



Poster size Influential African American Newspaper takes 1st Prize

Mrs. Cartagena's 4th and 5th grade ACE is studying Italy and has learned about the history of that country using writing, poetry and research. The culminating activity was an Italian dinner held on February 6, 2009.



Mrs. Cartagena's ACE students explore Italy

As technology becomes an important integration into learning and education, we are moving forward with utilizing the latest systems. Our students have access to two mobile laptop labs and teachers can enhance learning with our two new Smart Boards.

Our literacy coach, Mrs. Dawes, is always finding new ways to motivate students to read. Her latest project is working on "Beach Party Book Swap" where students will bring in gently used trade books and swap them for new ones. Moore School also has Darryl Cobb, a children's author, coming in to speak to students about what goes into becoming an author.



While students have an access to a variety of fun and interactive learning projects, they are also working hard acquiring the Core Content Standards at their level. The Moore School students will be taking the NJ ASK in May.

The Elizabeth F. Moore School has had many exciting activities in the first semester of the 2008-09 school year and looks forward to many more exciting academic adventures.

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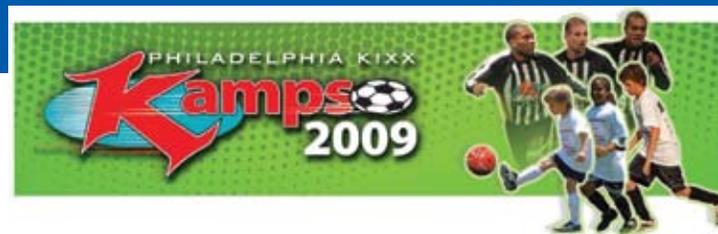
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- Pat Morris – Site Director
- Peter Pappas – Keeper Kamp Director/Site Director
- Assistant Coach Adam Bruckner, Shawn Boney, David Castellanos, Kevin Coleman, Joe Di Buono, Nick Hovaker, Anthony Maher, Matthew Maher, Hewerton Moreira, Ptah Myers, John Barry Nusum, Jeremy Ortiz, Ricardinho, Angel Rivillo, Clay Roberts, Steve Wacker

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER, CALL 1-888-888-KiXX or visit www.KiXXonline.com

Upper Deerfield's Cumberland Midget Football League

UDCMFL would like to thank all who dedicated their time and energy to the 2008 season. It was a tough season, but our coaches and players made the best of the tough schedule by playing with desire and having fun. 2009 will prove to be a season that we can be proud of, in part, from the dues we paid last season, and also by improving our league's organization in the off season. It's no surprise that UDCMFL has felt the hit of the economic hardships we all are facing, so be aware the league can no longer accept multi-child discounts for the 2009 season, but will offer an optional fundraiser to reimburse some of the registration costs.

Upper Deerfield's Cumberland Midget Football League will have its first early registration date on April 25th, at Community Day. With so many changes occurring this year, from football camp to optional fundraising, stop by our table to sign up and get the news. We will also be selling food and beverages. Midget football accepts players and cheerleaders who are ages 6 to 14 years old on or before Oct 1st. For any league or registration information, you can also call 856-453-1136 or visit www.leaguelineup.com/udcmfl.

UDCMFL is also looking for volunteer football and cheer coaches, business sponsors, and donations. Like most youth programs in this area, we rely on great people and businesses in the community to help provide this recreational outlet for our young athletes. Interested coaches will need to sign up by Community Day due to training and coaches certification requirements. If you are interested in helping the league in any capacity, please call 856-453-1136 or email TChemple7@comcast.net.

Look for us at Upper Deerfield's Community Day! -UDCMFL

IT'S TIME FOR FROGGY ROMANCE

If you're a turtle, frog or salamander, this is the time of year for romance. A frog's favorite spot for a date is a temporary puddle called a “vernal pool.”

Vernal pools are everywhere--you may even have one on your property. They are low areas that fill with rain water or runoff in the springtime (vernal means spring), then dry up after a couple of months.

This fish-free environment is the perfect hatchery for land-loving amphibians, including toads, frogs, newts and salamanders, turtles, snakes and those cheerful choruses of spring peepers. For example, a moderate sized vernal pool might have several thousand wood frogs or mole salamanders enter to breed and return to the forest. These and many other animals live out their lifespan within a few hundred feet of that essential temporary wetland.

If a vernal pool is filled, drained or chemically changed, the creatures who depend on it will not survive. Fertilizers, pesticides, land development and a lowered water table all spell catastrophe to these reclusive critters.

VISIT A VERNAL POOL

Visiting a vernal pool and getting acquainted with the specialized creatures that use it can be a rewarding experience.

1. Find a pool and get to know it.
2. Visit it frequently and observe the changes throughout the year.
3. Share your findings with others.

There are many state-certified vernal pools in Upper Deerfield. You'll find them on a vernal pools map at <http://www.dbcrssa.rutgers.edu/ims/vernal>.

