

DOWN OUR STREET

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Making no bones about her work

Digging up mammoth bones in South Dakota's Black Hills while a foundation fellowship paid her expenses was an inspiring experience for New York grade school teacher Lucy Malka of Fair Lawn.

She'd like other teachers to get acquainted with the fellowships offered by the Geraldine R. Dodge Foundation, which underwrites Earthwatch expeditions.

Among the projects for teachers this year are "Life in the Forest Canopy," studying the number and diversity of insects in Peru's Tambopata Nature Reserve; "The Greening of a Volcano," surveying past and current development of the highly active Costa Rican Arenal Volcano and the regeneration of the surrounding tropical rain forest; and "Birds of Panama," a chance to study bird diversity in the Parque Nacional Soberania. Each of 15 Dodge fellows will be awarded full costs and a travel stipend of up to \$500.

Deadline for applying is March 31. Write Earthwatch Educational Grants, Box 403T, 319 Arlington St., Watertown, Mass. 02172, or call Maura Twitchell, 1-(617) 926-8200 for application procedures.

Help needed to deliver food

HAWTHORNE Homeward Bound, an organization that operates in conjunction with the Passaic County Meals-On-Wheels program and the Office on Aging, is seeking volunteers to help deliver bags of food once each month.

People with and without cars are needed. Those without cars are asked to be available on a weekday to assist a meals driver.

Call 1-(800) 223-0556 for additional information.

Glee club to perform at church

KINNELON The Community Church of Smoke Rise will present a concert by the Penn State University Glee Club Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Tickets, at \$5 each, are available by calling the church office at 838-5599. Children under 18 will be admitted free.

The Community Church is located on North Road, just inside the Smoke Rise north gate.

Exchange program seeks hosts

MONTVILLE The Friendship Force, a nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting peace through friendship, is seeking families to serve as hosts for a group of Germans who will visit New Jersey for a week in early May.

Meanwhile, Friendship Force Ambassadors from New Jersey will be heading for New Zealand.

Each year, the organization sets up exchanges among 48 countries and 46 states, giving ambassadors the opportunity to spend seven nights in private host homes.

Those who wish can remain for a second week in the home, or they may tour the country independently.

Call Linda Leavy at 227-5691 for information.

Music on a Sunday afternoon

PATERSON A free performance by The North Jersey Philharmonic Glee Club will take place Sunday at 4 p.m. at the Paterson Museum, 2 Market St.

Organized in 1939, the club is one of the oldest singing institutions in the mid-Atlantic region. The male choral group is composed of men drawn from a cross section of the Afro-American community, representing various religious affiliations, social strata, and neighborhoods.

The group performs under the direction of Elaine F. Jones, with accompaniment by DeCosta A. Dawson.

The concert is sponsored jointly by the museum and the Great Falls Development Corporation.

Call Thomas A. Peters at 881-3874 or Peggy Robertson at 279-1270 for information.

\$5,000 donation to help KIDS

Grand Union Company, located in Wayne, gave \$5,000 to KIDS of Hackensack after management personnel learned about the treatment program's success with the son of a Grand Union executive.

"Dr. Miller Newton and the KIDS program has restored our family to warm, loving health," the parent said. "I am delighted that this gift will help other families to survive the horrors of their adolescents drug and alcohol problems. "

Newton remarked that such corporate generosity is a big boost toward KIDS goals never to say no to a kid in trouble and to help adolescent and family find their way back to serenity. The entire family is involved in the KIDS treatment program. The staff includes professionals as well as peer counselors who have been helped by the program.

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EASTER FEAST

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EASTER FEAST: Chris Rabidis, center with apron, directing roasting of a lamb for Easter dinner at Kids of Bergen County, a drug-treatment program. A Seder was held for Jewish participants and graduates.

- Caption: PHOTO - LINDA CATAFFO / THE RECORD - EASTER FEAST: Chris Rabidis, center with apron, directing roasting of a lamb for Easter dinner at Kids of Bergen County, a drug-treatment program. A Seder was held for Jewish participants and graduates.

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PEOPLE

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Dwight-Englewood School history teacher Frank Mahoney will take a look at "Republics Ancient to Modern" this summer as one of only 20 educators from across the country chosen to participate in the National Humanities Center at the University of North Carolina.

As Hackensack Medical Center's new vice president of public affairs, Dennis McGorry will be responsible for internal and external publications, brochures, advertising, publicity releases, and photography.

The North Arlington resident formerly was director of public relations at the General Hospital Center of Passaic three years.

Kenneth Conte, D.O., has been elected medical staff president of Kennedy Memorial Hospitals at Saddle Brook, where he also is medical director.

The board-certified general practitioner has an office in Garfield and is an associate clinical professor of family medicine at the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey and the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine.

Seven member of the Ridgewood YMCA junior judo team brought home trophies from the Westwood Judo Invitational.

Davi Leventhal and Emily Bachmann won second-place awards. Finishing in third places were Jordan Gundeck, Parker Gundeck, Richard Bachmann, Jonathan White, and Scott Satine.

When desperate parents call KIDS of Bergen County for help with their adolescent children who are having problems with drugs, alcohol, or other compulsive behavior, the first person they speak to is Patricia Hanrahan, a mother who says "she's been there herself."

The Glen Rock registered nurse, whose 19-year-old daughter is enrolled in the KIDS program, has been named intake coordinator at the Hackensack facility. She formerly was director of nurses at the Paterson Eye and Ear Infirmary.

B'nai B'rith Northern Valley Lodge 2279 will honor Carol and Joseph Pomerantz as Couple of the Year at a brunch Sunday, May 1, at the Alpine Country Club.

Pomerantz is a past president of the lodge. Both he and his wife are active in Temple Beth El of Northern Valley in Closter.

Certificates in the New Jersey Certified Manager Program have been awarded to the first seven people in county government management positions who have successfully completed the master's-level course.

Recipients are Robert J. Aloia of Hasbrouck Heights, director of the Department of Administration and Finance; Joseph C. Brunacki of Wallington, fiscal analyst in the Treasurer's Office; Ronald E. Calissi of Franklin Lakes, director of the Division of Public Safety Education/Police and Fire Academy, Mahwah; Lorraine Cuccia of Lodi, senior buyer in the Purchasing Division; Deborah A. Fredericks of Midland Park, supervising clerk at the Police and Fire Academy; Charles A. Nurnberger of Ridgely Park, director of the Department of Parks; and Joseph Rutch of Fairview, director of the Division on Aging.

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TEENS PROTEST AT ST. JOSEPH'S STUDENTS UPSET OVER DEPARTURE OF POPULAR VICE PRINCIPAL

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Several dozen students stood outside of St. Joseph's Regional High School in Montvale Tuesday morning for 45 minutes, going late to their 8:30 a.m. classes to protest the departure of a popular dean who, his supporters say, tried unsuccessfully to change the school's drug-abuse policies.

Jeff Raugh, assistant principal of the 800-student Catholic boys school for 10 years, said he was asked Monday by the principal, Brother Peter Russell, to take a leave of absence for at least six months.

Raugh consented and left the school immediately but said Tuesday that he would like to return in a few days.

Russell confirmed the leave request, but would not comment on the reasons for it, saying only: "The man involved left for personal reasons. "

"I don't think they realize how many people aren't going to come back next year if Dean Raugh isn't here," said protester Paul Bodet, 17. A few minutes later, a group of students nearby chanted "Raugh! Raugh! "

"He cared, he listened," Matt Lenox, 17, said of Raugh.

Some of the students stayed outside for about 45 minutes Tuesday morning, and then showed up late for classes. Russell said students will be detained after school next week as punishment for showing up late.

Raugh said he has been thinking about starting an after-school substance-abuse counseling group for years. Student protesters said they want such a program.

But Raugh said he did not propose the program to Russell because he was sure on-site drug counseling would not be allowed.

Russell said students are not counseled on school grounds about drug abuse but are given outside referrals. He said students are informed about the dangers of drugs through health and physical education classes and at assemblies.

Raugh also said that students who enroll in residential drug-treatment programs may return to classes but that students who complete outpatient programs may not. He thinks there should be no distinction between the two.

But Russell said the school's only policy on substance abuse is to expel any student caught with drugs or drug paraphernalia. All other decisions are made on a case-by-case basis.

Raugh also raised the ire of school officials by opposing the enrollment of two students in KIDS of Bergen County, a Hackensack drug-treatment center. Raugh, who said he opposes the program's treatment methods, was asked by the two students family and Russell to stop interfering. Russell confirmed Raugh's account but made no further comment.

Bergen County Prosecutor Larry McClure ended a nine-month investigation into KIDS in February 1987, when officials said they could not substantiate claims by KIDS clients that they had been abused during treatment.

But the probe led McClure to call for state regulation of unlicensed treatment centers such as KIDS. The center has applied for certification from the state Health Department's Division of Narcotics and Drug Abuse Control, and approval is likely soon, spokeswoman Susan Wegryn said Tuesday.

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STUDENTS PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATOR'S REINSTATEMENT

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More than 400 students at St. Joseph's Regional High School in Montvale have signed a petition asking for the reinstatement of a popular administrator, according to a student organizing the petition drive.

On May 2, Jeff Rough, assistant principal of the 800-student Catholic boys school for 10 years, was asked by the principal, Brother Peter Russell, to take a leave of absence for at least six months. Rough consented and has since turned in his keys to the school building at Russell's request.

Asked if Rough was fired or is still on leave, Russell said Rough is still on the school payroll. Russell said he was unaware of the petition drive.

"So far, we got between 400 and 500 signatures on paper," said a student organizing the petition drive, who asked that his name not be used for fear that he could be expelled for his activities. "Hopefully, we're going to get around 650 or 700. . . . We're not sure who to hand them in to yet, but we're going to call the Archdiocese in Newark. "

But Russell said that before asking Rough to leave, he got the go-ahead from the Archdiocese and the Xaverian Brothers, the Milton, Mass.-based religious order that staffs the school.

Russell would not say why Rough was asked to leave. But Rough and some students believe the conflict stems from Rough's disagreement with some of the school's drug-abuse policies.

Rough would like to start an after-school substance-abuse counseling group. No drug-abuse counseling is given on school grounds. Instead, Russell said, students in need of help are given outside referrals.

Rough also raised the ire of school officials by opposing the enrollment of two students in KIDS of Bergen County, a controversial drug treatment program's methods but was asked by the students parents and by Russell to stop interfering. Russell confirmed Rough's account but would not comment further.

Rough's reputation for caring and listening to students problems is the reason for his popularity, students say.

"He's open, he's honest, he's serious. . . . He was just an all-around good guy," said the petition organizer.

Several students have told The Record that they may not enroll at St. Joseph's next year, if Rough is not reinstated.

Rough also was fired last week from Schlott Realty in Bardonia, N.Y., where he worked part-time as a salesman. He said he was let go because he got too many personal calls from students. Asked to comment, Schlott Office Manager Susan Kopec said: "We can't disclose specific reasons why things didn't work out, but our decision had nothing to do with the other [St. Joseph's] decision. "

Rough said he planned to fly to Switzerland and Norway Tuesday for a vacation. He said he wasn't sure when he would come back.

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NORTH ARLINGTON

The North Arlington Health Center, 10 Beaver Ave., offers free blood pressure screenings on Mondays and Tuesdays from 1 to 3 p.m. to people of all ages.

The screenings are done by Lori O'Connell, a nurse. Ruth Ruth, the borough health officer, said residents and non-residents alike also may receive advice on diet, medication, and other health-related issues at the center during these hours.

LYNDHURST

The Lyndhurst Health Center, 253 Stuyvesant Ave., will continue to offer free blood pressure and diabetes screenings throughout the summer on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, from 1 to 3 p.m., by appointment only.

The next time screenings will be offered without an appointment will be on July 13, 9 a.m. to noon. The screenings are given by nurses Phyllis Gagliardi and Agnes Fredericks.

CARLSTADT

The borough Planning Board will meet Monday at 8 p.m. to begin a review of the borough's Master Plan.

The board is expected to confirm the borough's current zoning. It also is required to examine where the plan could provide for affordable housing in the borough.

The meeting will be held in the borough hall caucus chamber.

SOUTH HACKENSACK

The township committee will meet at 7 p.m. Monday on renewal of liquor licenses.

EAST RUTHERFORD

The Board of Education will consider proposals for school improvements when it convenes at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Faust School library.

Among the proposed improvements are window blinds for administrative offices, carpeting for the Faust School library, and a new paint job for some classrooms and hallways at Franklin School.

HASBROUCK HEIGHTS

Participants in KIDS of Bergen County Inc., a privately run drug rehabilitation program, face a building code complaint in Municipal Court at 1 p.m. Wednesday.

The complaint is against a Central Avenue couple who have a teen-ager enrolled in KIDS. It alleges the couple took in other teen-age clients of the program for what is described as overnight stays or "exchange visits." Neighbors have apparently complained that the rented residence is not functioning as a home, but is being used as a boarding house.

The KIDS program was investigated last year by Bergen County Prosecutor Larry McClure, whose report found no evidence to support allegations that KIDS counselors abused clients. McClure did call for stricter regulation of such programs.

NORTH ARLINGTON

Wednesday is movie night at the Youth Center, 1 Legion Place. A videotape rated PG13 will be screened on the center's 46-inch television at 8 p.m.

The movie and refreshments, both free, are open to all North Arlington residents ages 11 to 19. Out-of-town youths who attend North

Arlington schools also are welcome to view the video. Call 955-5634 for more information.

WOOD-RIDGE

Residents can dance or just listen to the "Big Band" sound at a special concert being held Wednesday.

The free concert by an eight-piece swing band will take place at the green next to the Memorial Library on Hackensack Street at 6:45 p.m. The event will be moved to the high school gymnasium in case of rain.

GARFIELD

Council members-elect will be sworn to four-year terms Friday at noon at city hall.

At 11:30 a.m., the outgoing council will say its public goodbyes and welcome its successors, selected by voters in May's non-partisan elections. The new council also will nominate and choose a mayor from among its five members.

Refreshments will be served after the ceremonies.

GARFIELD

The first of the city's post-war "baby boomers" now have 25 years of reminiscences since their high school days, and their fellow graduates are anxious to hear all about it.

The Garfield High School class of 1963 will hold its 25th reunion on Nov. 26 but reunion organizers are trying now to locate or find out about all of their fellow grads. Alumni are asked to write with their current addresses to Carole (Vanglaus) Sangis, 390 Boulevard, Garfield, N.J. 07026, or to call Richard Hrischenko at 288-0151 from 5 to 9 p.m.

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ELMWOOD PARK

Karen Czarkowski was co-chairwoman of the Twins Mothers Club of Bergen County dinner and fashion show that raised \$2,250 for the Cerebral Palsy Center of Bergen County.

FAIR LAWN

The Wayne-based Jewish Federation of North Jersey and Jewish Family Service have opened branch offices at 17-10 River Road.

Joanne Sprechman is newly elected president of the board of the Jewish Federation of North Jersey.

Serving as president of the Fair Lawn Art Association is Susan Liss.

Stan Steinrich has been elected president of the Fair Lawn Jewish Community Council, and Rabbi Stanley Bramnick of Congregation B'nai Israel received the council's community service award.

MAHWAH

The second annual polo match sponsored by Timeplex Inc. of Woodcliff Lake at the Ramapo Hunt & Polo Club in Mahwah raised nearly \$20,000 for KIDS of Bergen County, a non-profit Hackensack-based center that helps young people overcome drug and alcohol dependence.

The second (\$300,000) phase of the Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary building campaign is under way, with \$30,000 in pledges received so far.

ORADELL

The Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post 2183 has awarded a \$300 scholarship to Annmarie Faustini and a \$200 scholarship to Geri Ann Capiello.

PARAMUS

Bergen Community College, Bergen County Vocational Technical School, Alternatives to Domestic Violence, and Save Our Sisters received donations from The Godmothers, an organization of influential women, during an awards ceremony held on the Bergen Community campus.

RIDGEWOOD

The Rev. G. Raymond Mitchell is president of Branch 4684 of the Aid Association for Lutherans, which has received a gold star rating from the fraternal benefit society in recognition of exemplary volunteer service to the community.

The YWCA's Project Smile provides recreational events for handicapped people, including dinners, miniature golf, and participation in the Special Olympics. To find out more, call 444-5600, Ext. 348.

TETERBORO

FOCAS (Friends of the Bergen County Animal Shelter Inc.) will reduce the adoption fee for cats and kittens at the shelter by 50 percent during July, making it \$8 for cats 4 months and older and \$10.50 for kittens. All have been examined by a veterinarian and have received initial vaccinations. Call 646-3200.

- Caption: PHOTO - STAN STEINRICH, Elected in Fair Lawn

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One homeowner in Hackensack and another in Teaneck will be able to make needed repairs to their homes under a 3 percent deferred payment plan. They qualified for participation in the county's Community Development Home Improvement Plan.

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TEANECK

The Zonta Club of Teaneck-Bergenfield, an organization of business and professional women, has presented \$1,000 scholarships to Lauren Euphemia and Tracey Gallo of Bergenfield High School and Tamara Flaum and Erika Lynn Trautman of Teaneck High School. It also made donations to the Dumont-based Community Center for Mental Health, the Bergenfield Volunteer Ambulance Corps, and a number of other philanthropies.

The United Negro College Fund, the Volunteer Ambulance Corps of Englewood and Teaneck, the Englewood Hospital Building Fund, and the Veterans Administration Medical Center in East Orange each recently received a donation from the New Jersey Wives, an organization of women whose husbands are members of the 369th Veterans Association, New Jersey District.

Sy Yegelwel is president of Temple Emeth.

Holy Name Hospital's new director of information services is Thomas Wood, a Howell resident who specializes in designing and implementing health-care computer systems for hospitals.

In preparation for its 50th anniversary celebration in August 1989, the Volunteer Ambulance Corps asks former members and anyone with memorabilia relating to the corps to write to John Sause, golden anniversary chairman, at corps headquarters, 855 Windsor Road, Teaneck, N.J. 07666, or call 836-6826.

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BERGENFIELD

The Zonta Club of Teaneck-Bergenfield, an organization of business and professional women, has presented \$1,000 scholarships to Lauren Euphemia and Tracey Gallo of Bergenfield High School and Tamara Flaum and Erika Lynn Trautman of Teaneck High School. The organization also has made donations to the Dumont-based Community Center for Mental Health and the Bergenfield Volunteer Ambulance Corps.

CLOSTER

Jan E. Chason of River Vale is the new president of Temple Beth El.

Northern Valley Lodge 2279 of B'nai B'rith treated the handicapped adult residents of Spectrum for Living to a day at Yankee Stadium in the Bronx.

DUMONT

The Friends of the Dixon Homestead Library has elected Rosemary Seghatoleslami of Haworth as president for 1988-89.

EMERSON

Gary Schwinder has become president of Congregation B'nai Israel for 1988-89. Bobbi Ornitz and Judy Schoenfeld were installed as co-presidents of the Sisterhood. Nelson Sommers is the new president of the Men's Club.

ENGLEWOOD

George Philibosian has succeeded Ralph Libone as president of the Rotary Club of Englewood.

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ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS

Steven Kasoff, an Englewood Cliffs student at Dwight-Englewood School in Englewood, received a scholarship from the Englewood Cliffs Rotary Club to attend the international service organization's World Affairs Seminar at the University of Wisconsin in Madison.

HARRINGTON PARK

American Legion Post 30 has awarded \$500 scholarships to Robert Marshall, who plans to attend Lafayette College in Easton, Pa., and Catherine Chiavetta, who expects to go to Lehigh University in Bethlehem, Pa.

HAWORTH

Haworth Woman's Club has presented \$600 scholarships to Nora Krug and Heather Erhard, members of the class of 1988 at Northern Valley Regional High School, Demarest.

MONTVALE

Boy Scout Troop 126 completed requirements for the Gettysburg Heritage Trail Award during a spring weekend at Gettysburg Battlefield National Historic Park in Pennsylvania. The troop practiced wilderness skills during another weekend of camping in New York's Harriman State Park, rode the white water on a two-day canoe trip along the Delaware River, and pitted its three patrols against each other in a weekend competition for honors at Campgaw County Reservation in Mahwah.

NEW MILFORD

Marilyn Ritta, president of the Twins Mothers Club of Bergen County, presented a check for \$2,250 to representatives of the Cerebral Palsy Center of Bergen County. The money was raised at the organization's spring fashion show.

PARAMUS

Bergen Community College, Bergen County Vocational-Technical School, Alternatives to Domestic Violence, and Save Our Sisters received donations from The Godmothers during an awards ceremony held at Bergen Community College.

PARK RIDGE

A delegation of eight from the Pascack Junior Woman's Club attended the June mini-conference at which the Tomorrows Children's Fund was announced as the Ninth District project.

TENAFLY

The Jewish Community Center on the Palisades operates two thrift shops, both in Bergenfield, both open daily from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Thursdays to 8 p.m. Both shops have the same phone number: 387-9591. The Almost New Shop, 30 N. Washington Ave., features clothing, household goods, bric-a-brac, and artworks. Almost New Too, 32 N. Washington Ave., is stocked with furniture ideal for a second home or a college student's apartment.

TETERBORO

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WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP

Gerald Simmons has been installed as president of Temple Beth Or.

WESTWOOD

Beatrice Block, newly installed president of the Westwood Woman's Club, was part of the delegation that presented Pascack Valley Hospital with a donation to cover a one-year Lifeline subscription for a needy area resident.

The Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual sidewalk sale from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday along Westwood Avenue, which will be closed to traffic. There will be free rides for children and music by a Dixieland band. Rain date is July 16.

WOODCLIFF LAKE

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Branch 4684 of the Aid Association for Lutherans has received a gold-star rating from the fraternal benefit society in recognition of exemplary volunteer service to the community.

Marcia Kastan and Edris New have been elected co-presidents of the League of Women Voters of Pascack Valley for 1988-89.

Phil Simms, Giants quarterback and chairman of Pascack Valley Hospital's \$3 million capital-fund drive, recently accepted a \$15,000 donation from the Montvale-based Mercedes Benz of North America.

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DEVELOPMENT ISSUES SPUR ACTIVISM

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An anti-development citizens group formed this year has successfully organized opposition to two development projects and is positioning itself for deeper involvement in local politics.

Residents Against Indiscriminate Development was founded in May and has grown from nine to 500 members. RAID, which takes its name from a similar group in neighboring Wood-Ridge, was started in response to Hackensack Medical Center's plan to double the size of the South Bergen Hospital parking lot to accommodate more child services.

William Foley, one of RAID's principal organizers, said the hospital's plans struck a nerve in development-conscious Hasbrouck Heights.

"I think one reason the group grew so rapidly is that development is not really just an issue for a single block or a single street," Foley said. "Development is a townwide concern. "

The organization has an informal board of directors composed of the original nine members who meet once a week, he said. They have been spreading information by word of mouth. But with 500 members, that is becoming too clumsy, and a newsletter is in the works, Foley said.

RAID has a budget in the "multithousand dollar area," Foley said. The money, obtained through donations, is paying an attorney and planning experts to testify at Board of Adjustment hearings on the Hackensack Medical Center plan. Foley said RAID's rapid growth convinced him it can be a force in local elections.

"A councilman gets elected by only 700 or 800 votes in this town, and we have 500 members," he said. "I think it's possible that the group will take some kind of political form. "

Although the Hasbrouck Heights group does not coordinate activities with its Wood-Ridge namesake, Foley did not rule out that as a possibility.

Hasbrouck Heights Councilman William Torre acknowledged that the organization is becoming a force to deal with in the borough.

"They come to council meetings and, unlike some citizen groups, they are very well-informed," Torre said. "We listen to what they say, and we have had some very good dialogue with them. "

Torre credited Foley's leadership as one reason for RAID's success. The councilman said Foley, a 41-year-old executive at an electronics company, is articulate, intelligent, and willing to listen to different views.

Foley, who has lived in Hasbrouck Heights for 10 years, said he was never active in borough politics until he learned about the Hackensack Medical Center's plan for South Bergen Hospital, which is near his home.

Hackensack Medical merged with the old 40-bed hospital on Terrace Avenue this year. Shortly afterward, Hackensack Medical announced plans to use the facility as an Institute for Child Development and expand the size of the parking lot from 60 to 126 spaces.

That increase outraged neighbors who said Hackensack Medical had promised no expansion. The residents suspicions were further aroused when property near South Bergen Hospital was purchased by two brothers with close ties to Hackensack Medical Center.

RAID members said the brothers, Robert and Samuel Hekemian, both actively involved in operations and fund-raising at Hackensack Medical, purchased the property at 198 Terrace Ave. as part of a master plan for expansion.

Although Robert Hekemian, who is on the board of governors, said his brother had discussed the tract's possible acquisition by Hackensack Medical, a spokesman for the hospital said: "There is no final resolution with the purchase of 198 Terrace Ave."

Hackensack Medical has an expansion policy it follows to the detriment of the immediate neighborhood, Foley charged. He pointed out that the southern section of Summit Avenue in Hackensack, parallel to Prospect Avenue, where Hackensack Medical Center is based, once was lined with stately old homes. Since 1978, more than 50 offices have opened between Essex Street and Central Avenue, on a strip that had fewer than a dozen such offices 10 years ago.

Foley said Robert Hekemian admitted that should a court overturn the borough's rejection of a planned high-rise on Terrace Avenue, the

door to similar development would be opened.

Meanwhile, RAID also has taken on KIDS of Bergen County in a separate fight. RAID members said KIDS, a drug treatment group for young addicts, runs a boarding house in an area zoned for residential use. The borough filed a complaint against Marie Sapio, the building's owner, and a family that rents the building. A municipal court hearing scheduled for June was postponed when Sapio was hospitalized.

The case has been rescheduled for next week. RAID members who live in the area are to appear as witnesses. RAID also has been pressuring the council and state officials to monitor the situation.

The next Board of Adjustment hearing on Hackensack Medical's parking lot expansion plan is scheduled tonight. Foley said RAID members will be on hand and possibly offer rebuttal to the medical center's witnesses.

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HASBROUCK HEIGHTS

There will be a hearing in municipal court at 9 a.m. Tuesday on a complaint against a Central Avenue couple accused of illegally using a rented home to house young people recovering from drug addiction. Neighbors say the couple, Billy and Susan McCoy, operate their single-family home at 53 Central Ave. as a boardinghouse for KIDS of Bergen County, a drug-rehabilitation program.

GARFIELD

There will be an informational session on tax appeals from 6 to 10 p.m. Tuesday at City Hall. City Manager William Boyle, Finance Assistant Gloria Doe, and Tax Assessor Kurt Heile will answer questions on how to file a tax appeal in light of the revaluation. Residents are asked to bring their tax bills.

MOONACHIE

A candlelight vigil in memory of the victims of the recent Garret Mountain plane crash and others who have died in Teterboro Airport flights will be held Wednesday at 8 p.m. at Caesar Place off Moonachie Avenue, across from the airport. The vigil is being organized by the Interfaith Action Council, a group of about 20 church and civic groups in Hudson and Bergen counties. The council wants to draw attention to safety and noise concerns of people who live near the busy airport.

HASBROUCK HEIGHTS

The Board of Adjustment will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the auditorium of the high school on the Boulevard to continue a hearing on Hackensack Medical Center's plans to expand a parking lot on Terrace Avenue. Neighbors strongly oppose the expansion.

RUTHERFORD

The rent board will meet on Thursday to discuss how much of the property tax increases on cooperatives and condominiums can be passed on to so-called protected tenants. Protected tenants rented their apartments before conversions to individual ownership. They must be over 62 and meet income requirements. The meeting will be in Borough Hall at 8 p.m.

GARFIELD

The Health Consultation Program, which operates every Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to noon at City Hall, is offering free blood-pressure screenings, weight counseling, and diabetic screenings to Garfield residents. No appointment is necessary.

GARFIELD

The Child Health Conference is offering free health-care services for infants and children, by appointment only, at the baby-keep-well center at City Hall. The program offers physicals, hearing and vision screenings, and immunization for children between the ages of 2 months and 6 years. The clinic will be open from 9 a.m. until noon Friday. For an appointment, call 340-2109 or 340-2328.

NORTH ARLINGTON

The Health Center at 10 Beaver Ave. is offering free blood-pressure screenings on Mondays and Tuesdays from 1 to 3 p.m. The screenings are for people of all ages and are conducted by a nurse, Lori O'Connell. Ruth Ruth, the borough health officer, said residents and non-residents also can receive advice on diet, medication, and other health-related issues.

NORTH ARLINGTON

Wednesday is movie night at the Youth Center, 1 Legion Place. A videotape rated PG-13 will be screened on a 46-inch television at 8 p.m. The movie and refreshments, which are free, are open to all residents and students ages 11 to 19. Call 955-5634 for information.

LYNDHURST

The Health Center, 253 Stuyvesant Ave., is offering free blood pressure and diabetes screenings throughout the summer on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 1 to 3 p.m. The screenings, by appointment only, are conducted by nurses Phyllis Gagliardi and Agnes Fredericks. The center's Child Health Conference is on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month, when a pediatrician and two nurses will offer free physicals and immunization shots to infants. The center is open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. For an appointment, call 939-5190.

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METPATH INC., a clinical laboratory basd in Teterboro, has donated \$40,000 to KIDS OF BERGEN COUNTY INC. **KIDS** is a non-profit organization located in Hackensack that treats young people, ages 12 through 22, with substance abuse problems, eating disorders, and other compulsions.

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EDUCATOR DISPUTES FIRING FROM SCHOOL

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A St. Joseph's Regional High School administrator who says he thought he was given an involuntary leave of absence at a May session with his superiors has been informed that he was fired at that meeting.

Jeff Raugh, a popular assistant principal of the 800-student Catholic boys school for 10 years, said he received a letter three weeks ago stating that his employment had been terminated in May.

But Raugh said Friday that school officials never told him that he was fired. He contends that he was on a forced leave of absence for at least six months.

The letter, which came from the school principal, Brother Peter Russell, stated that Raugh requested that his employment be terminated May 2. Russell disputes the letter, saying that Russell had asked for his resignation during the May meeting but that he had refused.

"I would never resign," Raugh said. "I have no reason to do that. Brother Russell wanted me to resign, but I didn't. If I'm fired, I want to know the reason why. "

Russell acknowledged that Raugh never resigned, but he insists that Raugh was fired during the meeting. Russell said Brother William Cushing, the school's vice principal, was at the meeting.

Raugh "was the one who said `leave of absence, " Russell said. "No one at the school ever said anything about a leave of absence. "

Enclosed with the letter were three paychecks covering Raugh's employment through August. Russell wrote that because of Raugh's length of service, the school decided to pay him his salary and benefits until Aug. 31.

But under the terms of the leave of absence, Raugh said, the school must continue to pay him and extend health-care benefits through October.

Raugh said he never had a written contract with the school but had a good-faith contract that left him at Russell's mercy. As an administrator, Raugh is not a member of a teachers union.

"I knew I would never come back to school if he were still principal," Raugh said.

Raugh said he angered school officials by opposing the enrollment of two students in KIDS of Bergen County, a controversial drug-treatment center that had been the subject of an investigation by the Bergen County Prosecutor's Office.

Russell said the KIDS controversy was a major reason for Raugh's dismissal. He declined to elaborate or identify other problems.

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NORTH ARLINGTON

The borough Board of Education will meet in executive session Monday at 8 p.m. and is expected to vote on a new contract for district teachers.

LYNDHURST

The township Board of Education will meet at 8 p.m. Monday at the board offices and may name a vice principal.

HASBROUCK HEIGHTS

A state Superior Court hearing is scheduled Wednesday on an appeal by the parents of two children enrolled in KIDS of Bergen County who were barred by a municipal judge last July from "hosting" other clients of the drug rehabilitation program.

The appeal asked the state court to reverse a Hasbrouck Heights court decision that barred the parents, Billy and Susan McCoy, from using their home as a place for clients of the program to stay overnight because the activity violates zoning provisions for uses in a single-family residential area.

LODI

Borough officials will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday in borough hall and may decide how to proceed with sale of the deteriorating municipal water delivery system.

A court ruling blocked the sale to the Passaic Valley Water Commission. But borough officials are likely to endorse the administration's continued talks with the PVWC.

EAST RUTHERFORD

The Carlstadt-East Rutherford Board of Education, which oversees Becton Regional High School, will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday in the high school.

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HASBROUCK HEIGHTS

The Borough Council will meet at 8 p.m. Monday. It may discuss the borough's plan to allow construction of a mid-rise condominium building on Terrace Avenue.

NORTH ARLINGTON

The Borough Council will hold a caucus meeting at 7 p.m. Monday.

LYNDHURST

The Bergen County Utilities Authority (BCUA) will hold a public hearing at 7 p.m. Monday at the Hackensack Meadowlands Development Commission offices in Lyndhurst.

LODI

The Borough Council will hold a work session at 8 p.m. Tuesday to prepare for its next regular meeting on Dec. 7.

NORTH ARLINGTON

The Borough Council will hold its regular meeting at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

HACKENSACK

On Wednesday, an appeal hearing of the Hasbrouck Heights zoning complaint against Billy and Susan McCoy, for boarding clients of the KIDS of Bergen County drug rehabilitation program in a rented one-family home, is scheduled to begin before state Superior Court Benedict Lucchi.

GARFIELD

To get accurate information about AIDS out to the public, the city Health Department will hold a special program on the disease at 1:30 and 8 p.m. Wednesday.

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